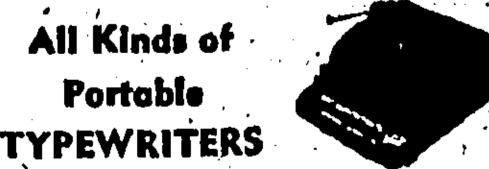
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Nanking Leaders Still Hope For Compromise

# REDS' DEMANDS BARED

Nanking, April 19. Nationalist China's eleven top-ranking leaders met for the second time this afternoon at the Ministry of National Defence to consider the Kuomintang answer to the Communist draft peace terms for which acceptance has been demanded by tomorrow.

Air Force and most of its gold

and silver now are located, that

Continued fighting, meanwhile,

timated 309,000 Nationalists, sur-

Chinese Press reports said the

issued by the Kuomintang and

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2-Punishment of wor criminals

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was reported opposite Chinklan;

No official announcement has been made about the decision of the vital conference which was still continuing at six o'clock tonight (local time) but a reliable source said that they expected Acting President Li Tsung-jen will appeal to the Communists before the time limit expires at midnight, asking them not to cross the Yangtse river and to compromise on their demands.

Reports that he had already taken this action have not been confirmed. The answer is expected to result either in a battle for the Yangtse river or a resumption of the secret peace talks in Peiping.

. Reliable sources told Reuter | shipped to Formosa and others today that if the peace talks would march South for a later fail, President Li Tsung-jen stand. will resign and return to his the is on the Island of Formosa, home province of Kwangsi in where most of the Nationalist South China.

These sources said that most of [Nationalist resistance is anticithe eleven leaders attending to- pated. day's meeting were firmly opposed to according to the Com- Fighting Continues munist demand to cross the Ynngtse river.

Two or three leaders who thought that the Government in on area which may become should not object to a Communist crossing after a coalition gov- an important point for a Comernment has been established. were said to have been decried An attempt last night by 1,000 by other speakers.

"North East of Nanking, was said to have The British-owned China Daily News" said the been thrown back with heavy Nationalists would temporarily Communist easualties. move the seat of the government | The Red push would most like- Council, the chairman of which at this time to halt the Comto Shanghai if Nanking is sub- ly start at Wuhu, 60 air miles will be nominated by the Com- munist march in China. jerted to armed attack by the South of Nanking, where the marist Party. Communists.

Quoting what it termed reliable force of 200,000 crack frontline Popular Elections sources, the paper said in the troops ready to move all the way event of a Red attack the capital from Anking to the mouth of the will be eventually moved further Yangtse. South to Canton.

# Chiang's Views

The views of Generalissimo now dictating peace. Chiang Kar-shek were understood to have been reported by Mr. Chu Cheng, who has just returned but the Reds have a considerable from a visit to Chikow.

The Legislative Yuan scheduled to hold a camera sesgion to consider the Communist demands; General Ho Ying-chin's Cabinet will meet before the session so that the Premier can report to the Legislators the Government's decision.

The only optimistic note heard In Nanking today came from the President of the Legislative Yuan, Tung Kuan-hsien. He told legislators at a luncheon that the Communist stand may be relaxed.

Tung Kunn-hsien said that Mao Tre-tung had assured Huang Shao-hsiung before the departure of the Government peace delegate for Nanking to convey the Reds' demands, that there may still be room for further talks.

Kuomintang Central Executive Committee said in a statement issued in Canton today that should the Communists cross the Yangtse during the current peace talks, the Government should recall its delegates from

Peiping. In a long statement, the comorganisation should be carried out depression entred near Tokyo. A ridge be decided. by the Nationalists and Commun- of high pressure extends from the Pacific ists in their respective territory anti-cyclone East of Japan across Luson on a basis of equality and should to the China Bea. Black pressure grabe mutually respected and en- dients persist over South China and the

forced. The standing committee pledgwinds. Cloudy with occasional rain. ed their support to Acting Presi-Extensive for patches at first lifting dent Li Tsung-jen and Premier slowly during morning. Warm Ho Ying-chin in their peace humid.

One report in circulation said Maximums 77.0 deg. Fak. that Chinng had already decided Minimum: 69.1 deg. Fah. on the withdrawal of the entire Sunshines 0.2 hour. Reinfall: 0.6 mm.=0.02 in. Total eince Shanghal-Nanking garrison Southward\_

It is no secret in Nanking that Chiang favours sacrificing the Yangisa line for a stronger last ditch defence in the Bouth. General Tang En-po's troops sire believed sure to put up some

Rel. Flumbility ..... kind of opposition to the Reds Yangine crossing, whether Nan- Wind Force .... 10, . 0 knote-Shanghal, whence some would be Low - ...... \$\$\$3

### TO REJECT DEMANDS

Nanking, April, 19. A most reliable source told the United Press today that the government last night decided to reject the Communist demand for its virtual aurrender.

Competent opinion today presumed the Pelping negotlations would break down tomorrow and civil war resumed again unless the Communists extended their April 20 deadline and tone down their demands.

An official source said the Intest information from Pelping contained no indication of modification of the Communist attitude. - United

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5-The coalition government will be formed on May 1. 6-All provincial and district governments will be tiken over

by the conlition government. munist crossing of the Yangtse. 7--- The coalition government will have one chaiman, two de-Red troops to infiltrate across the puly chairmen, nine ministries river at a point 55 miles North each with a minister and a detitly minister.

8--The highest policy-making ergan will be the Supreme Policy

#### Reds were today reported to be concentrating the largest single

5-Popular elections will be Opposed to the Reds in the held for delegates to the people'. same stretch of river are an es- Congress.

10-The people's Congress will vivors of the winter campaigns organise a political consultative North of the Yangtse that ended council which will draft the new with the Communists victors and constitution.

12-The Republic of China will The Nationalists have superiori- be fully known as the Chinese ty in numbers in riverline troops People's Democratic Republic. 12--A new flag will be introedge in reserves-not to mention | duced, combining both the white star against a blue sky and the hammer and sickle.

13-The existing legal codes will be abolished. 14-The present National As-

sembly, Legislative Yuan and Control Yuan will be dissolved. Communists' 24 terms are as 15—The Nationalist armies will 1-A joint statement is to be remain at their present posts to awnit reorganisation.

16-The People's Liberation Aimy will cross the Yangtse at five designated points to supervise reorganisation of the Nation-3-War criminals will be alist armies. (Nanking reports have said the Reds want to cross the Yangtse at 10 points.)

# will participate in the coalition | Big Four Families

17-The Navy and Air Force will cease operations and emais their transfer to the coalition government.

18-The properties of the Bi-Four families will be confiscated. (The Blg Four are the Chiangs. Chens, Kungs and Soongs.) 19—The excessive wealth of the super-rich will be confiscated

20-The properties of large on a decided plan. 21-Land reform will be in-

Today's Forecast:-Calm or light sm treduced gradually South of the 32-Large landowners will be adequately dealt with in accordance with the extent of their

# Treaties With U.S.

23-All treaties betraying the Hai (Vietnamese) as Chairman, interests of the State, including M. Jacquemard (French) as Vicemost agreements reached with Chairman and Mr. Truong Vinh the United States after the war, (Vietnamese) as Secretary-Gen- Page o will be abrogated. 21-The United States will be- They also elected a "Regulacalled upon to restore to the tions" Commission of 13 members Page 10

This new picture shows Princess Elizabeth with her Infant son, Prince Charles, in her private sitting room in Buckingham Palace. Princess Elizabeth who will be 23 years of age on April 21, is dress d in dove grey .-- (Associated

# U.S. Policy In China-Wait, See

Washington, April 19. Senator Tom Connally, Texas Democrat, said today there is little the United States can do

The Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee agreed with Secretary of State Acheson that the best thing to do now is "wait and rea".

The committee is giving right of way to the North Atlantic security treaty, Connally told a reporter, with hearings expected to start early in May. As for China, he said, the Senate group has no plans to consider further aid to the Nationalist Govern-

Connally's position is that the situation in China is so bad now there is nothing this country can do short of launching a huge military programme.

Congress already has authorised President Truman to spend about US\$54,000,000 in the next 10 months for aid to non-Commun→ ist areas of China.

aid programme this year.-Asso- | Peace Congress. clated Press.

# COCHIN-CHINA **ASSEMBLY** Saigon: April 10.

The newly elected territorial assembly of Cochin-China, composed of 16 French delogates and 47 Vietnamese, today for the first time.

The new state will be led by by Bac Dal, ex-emperor of Annum, now in exile in Europe and due to leave France on April 21. He had made Cochin-China's participation a condition for his return to Indo-China.

General de la Tour. French Commission of the Republic in Cochin-China, and Mr. Trah van Huu, Vice-Premier of the Provisional Central Government Page: 6 of Vietnam, made the opening speeches today.

The delegates elected a Page 7 "Bureau" with Mr. Nguyen Chanh

coalition government 'llegal in- -three French and nine Vietterests acquired in China,-Reu- namese. ter, United Press and Associated The Assembly adjourned until

# Ship Collision In Straits Singapore, April 19.

An American Liberty ship. William Tlinhman, collided with a British ship, Richmond Hill, during heavy fog early today in Majacca Straits between Malaya and Sumatra. The William Tilgnman, which is operated by the

United States Maritime Commission, and the Blue Funnel ship. Richmond Hill, were lying in Singapore Roads offshore after the collision. The extent of damage was not immediately determined. There were no casualties.

The U.S. Maritime Commission office in Manila said the William Tilghman was bound from the United States West Coast port to the Persian Guif.--- United Press.

# Reds Irked At French

Shanghai, April 19. today were considerably irked | tion on the number of customers over the French decree limiting | they might serve, nor on the price Connaily said so far as he the number of delegates from at which they could sell their knows this will be the final China each country to the Paris World gold.

> The Communist radio said that a telegram of protest was sent to the Paris meeting chairman, la Aragon, which said the French deeree smacks of "American reactionary" policies and further "indicates that the reactionary gevernments of these aggressive countries are extremely afraid of the people's peace forces various countries....This followed the signing of the North Atlentic Pact by American imperialism and its satellite countries to provoke a new world war of pg-

The French netion, the Chinese Reds concluded, "is mean, shamewhich is to decide for or against ful and stupid. The peace forces Cochin-China's participation in of the world are strong and the Vietnam state, met here matchless. No machinations can block the growth of the peace movement."-United Press.

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# RUN ON BANK SAFE BOXES FOR GOLD There was a run on the bank safe deposit boxes yesterday,

as depositors, scared by the gold ban order issued by Government just before the Easter holidays, rushed to withdraw their gold pieces, jewellery and ornaments.

persons outside the Colony was

to be strictly prohibited and that

Sales And Purchases

Sales and purchases shall be

confined to inanufactored and

semi-manufactured gold exclu-

sively for industrial or profes-

sional use or for making jewel-

"Suggestions had been made

this would not be of benefit to

venience to the public and to

"Jewellers need gold for their

Spirit Of Co-operation

position of the Hong Kong Gov-

ernment in this matter was fully

appreclated, and it was in a spirit

of co-operation that the Exchange

was putting severe restrictions on

the operations of their members

and instituting a system of sel

He said no printed quotations

would be issued in the future.

and urged the Press to co-operate

by not publishing prices of gold

in any transactions that might

take place on the Exchange in the

Mr. Ho went on to say that the

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l saíd Mr. Ho.

give up now.

mation relating to gold.

bank vaults would be sealed by Government to prevent any gold from being taken out. Better run the risk of being burglarised than tow have them seized by Government, not knowing how much we would be paid for them. Nothing like gold in these unsettled times." This was the general tone of remarks among people.

The scare was started by a report in the verna-

cular press that all safe deposit boxes and

A Government spokesman, its to ensure that Government regulations are not contravened. declared Government had no intention whether of compelthe meeting during the evening ling the public to surrender as special resolutions that all free their gold, nor of buying up dealings in gold would henceforth such gold.

"We can buy gold more cheaply from South Africa, if we want eny," was the official comment.

A deputation from the Chinese Gold and Silver Exchange, who went to see the Assistant Financial Secretary yesterday morning. understood to have been given a similar assurance. However, asked for an ex-

planation as to how this attitude could be reconciled with the express wording of the official order that "except with permission granted by or on behalf of the Governor no person...shall in the Colony possess any gold," the Government spokesman declined to elaborate.

#### No Action

It was reported on the market. among other things, that in view of the violent reaction to Government's banning order, no action would be taken against possereors of gold or against any dealings in them so long as there our members while at the same was no written record of such time it will cause immense incondealings. This would mean that gold allied trades such as the gold-

rould change hands as frequently smiths and the jewellery shops," as its possessors desired. It was also reported that for-

any actual gold changing hands, needs. We also buy back from would also be permitted or, in them jewellery and ornaments the absence of express permis- melted down. We meet a dission, no action would be taken linet public need, and we cannot to stop such transactions.

place outside the Exchange at we suspended operations' was varying rates, ranging from 10 during the Japanese occupation, to 20 per cent above the quota- when we could not stand the options just before the gold ban pression of the enemy.'t was announced.

# Goldsmith Shops

The deputation from the Gold and Silver Exchange was understood to have obtained from Government some clarification garding the position of goldsmith shops, who had to put up their shutters last Friday and Satur-

They were told, it was reported, that they could sell not more than three tacks of gold to each customer whose name and address they must take down for purpose The Chinese Communists of record. There was no restric-It was further reported that

the ban did not apply to low calibre gold, which meant that goldsmiths could buy or sell gold of 22 carat or under without re-

# Gold Holdings

The goldsmiths were asked to submit a list of their gold holdings to Government at the carliest possible date.

Following this assurance the goldsmiths resumed normal business yesterday, and catered to a record number of customers who were all anxious to get hold of some precious metal while the going was still good: Fear of devaluation of the

Hong Kong dollar was still in the mind of many people, and there was a rush to buy U.S. dollars which changed hands at as high as HK\$5.75 in the morning. The rate dropped eight points' in The future of the Chinese Gold

and Silver, Exchange was discussed last night at a mass meeting of more than 200 members. The Press was not admitted to the meeting, but a conference was Inter given by the Chairman, Mr. Ho Shin-hang.

# Future Operations

"I am afraid that the future operations of the Exchange will be greatly restricted," said Mr. Ho. "We will have to work within the limits permitted, us by Mictoria Conference of Empire Government." Mr. Ho revealed that after con-

sultation with the Exchange's Joral adviser. Str. Man-kam Lo. it has been decided to draft new rules for the ruture operation of the Exchange, the object of which

# British Protocol

London, April 19. The Foreign Office spokesman said today that Britain's relations with the Republic of Eiro will continue to be handled by It was accordingly submitted to the Department for Common wealth Relations, and will not be transferred to the Foreign

be suspended, that sale of gold to Office. Britain's envoy in Dublin, Six Gilbert Laithwaite, will continue to be known as the United Kingall members were to refrain from dom 'representative and will no printing or publishing any inforbecome British Minister. Future dealings in gold on the

The spokesman refused to com-Exchange shall be only such as ment when asked at his press to meet actual requirements of conference why relations with the community. The Exchange Eire, which yesterday became an shall set up a body to decide what independent state, are still within such requirements are from time the scope of the Commonwealth Relations Office. Henceforth all dealings will be When Burma made a similar

strictly under the control of the decision to break all links with Exchange, so that a strict watch the British Commonwealth last will be kept on the purchases year. Anglo-Burmese relations and sales by individual members, were transferred to the Foreign Office,-Reuter.

# Renewal Of Butter Cards

Butter ration cards are to be renewed from next week, It that the Exclange should close was officially announced yesdown, but we have decided that terday,

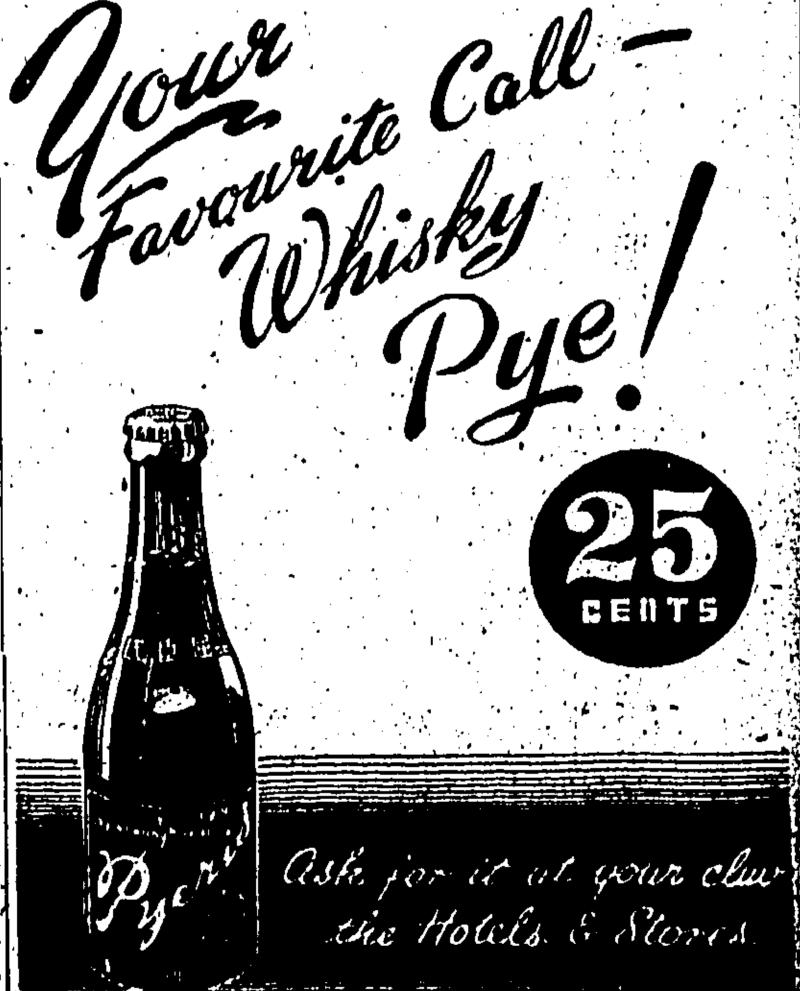
Card holders will be asked to provide fuller marticulars (wheti applying for new cards than they have been required to do previously. For example, details of eard holders' passports will be required to enable the rationing muthorities to cancel their cards ward dealings on paper, without trade, and we can supply their when they leave the Colony. For similar reasons everyone who has reached the age of 16 will have to have a separate card.

The existing butter ration cards may be renewed at the Price Con-The Gold and Silver Exchange "The Gold and Silver Exchange trol Office, former Urban Council did not open for business yester-, has an unbroken history as old Building, Statue Square, between day, but many transactions took as Hong Kong. The only time 9.30 a.m. and 1 p.m. and 2 p.m.

> and 6 p.m. Renewals will take place in alphabetical order according, to the first letters of the surnames of card-holders: A to C fr m April 25 to April 27; D to G from April 28 to April 30; H to K from May 2 to May 4; L to N from May 5 to May 7; O to S from May 9 to May 11; and T to Z from May 12 to May 14. Ration-card holders must show heir existing cards and passports when applying for renewals.

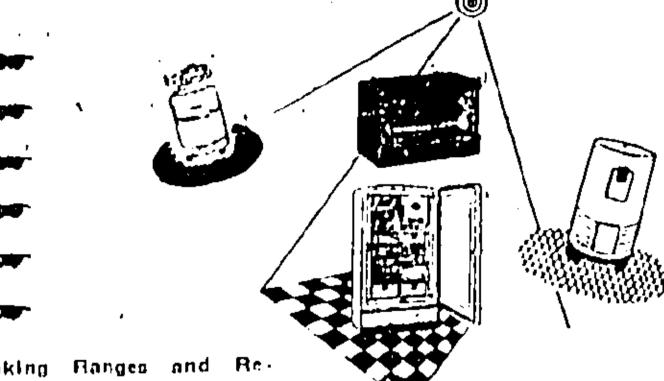
# U.S. SECRETARY OF ARMY RESIGNS

New York, April 19. Mr. Kenneth Royall, Secretary Asked by a Pressman if gold of the Army, has submitted his cabled resignation to President Truman, abroad, Mr. Ho replied "certainly the New York Daily News reported today.-Reuter.





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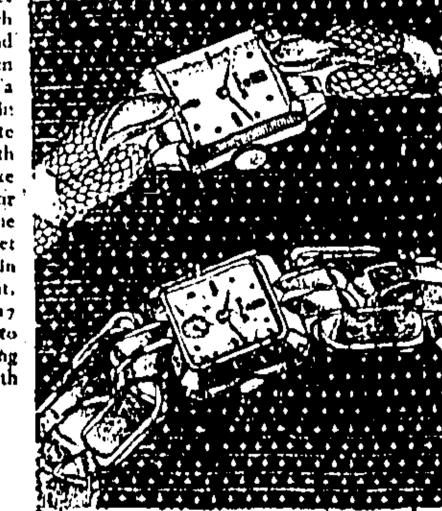
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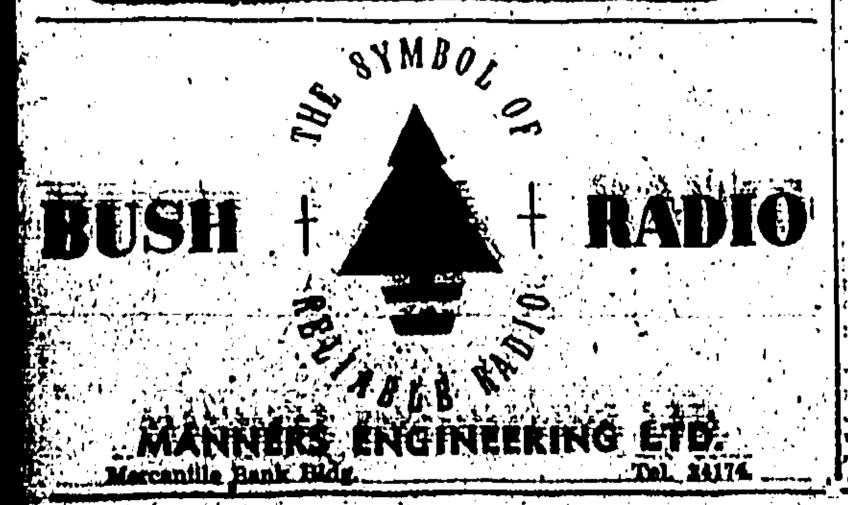
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### "Spiteful"

many of the English speaking union magazine is:community of the Colony that auch a persistent and soulrilout letter Oritor to the Press of Slipple Simon has been granted so much space to vent his spitefulness and broadcast his usually insubstantiated and generalised charges against responsible public writers and various worthy sections of the community.

Whether this self appointed critle is suffering from a monumental inferiority complex on the status of China or an intense dislike of generally accepted public standards and institutions it is difficult to determine, but his constant open and implied abuse counted with impertinent questioning makes very trying reading and occupies much valuable space and probably constitutes a serious detruction to the prestige of the publishing medium.

May it be suggested that if Simple Shion intends to contime his diatribes that he corrects his descriptive adjective to "Spiteful" or qualifies himself, as for as he is able, by writing over tus full name and address, A. MANN.

Editor's Note: It is repretted inat the "Simple Simon"-Woodhead - controversy has aroused undesirably bitter feelings on both ildes. For this reason the correswaterre wast be regarded ar

### Freedom Of Speech

Sir,-Excure me, but because of my fove for democracy and fair play, and my hatred for tyrant and bully, I have to butt in again No tyrant has ever been or will ever be successful in silencing the voice of democracy and there has never been or will ever be a bully succeeding in stopping the pen of freedom. Only a congenital idial therefore will try to he an exception.

dividuals, each has its own virtues and vices. None thas the monopoly of all that is good or Doo No Loo and his friends claim the right to criticise every-

thing Chinese and now resent

All nations and cities, like in-

others claiming the same right to retaliale. There are two great virtues my English education has grafted in below the belt, not to attack my the car overturned.

topponent, when he is down, to be a good loser and a humble win-Sir,-It has been amazing to her. The motto of my university

> "I must have liberty Withal, as large a charter as the .wind,

To blow on whom I please." And some of the happiest days of my life, were spent in Hyde Patk, London, where for the first time I shw with my own eyes and heard with my own cars the greatness of England, a democratic country in name as well in fact, where freedom of speech is not only preached but also practiced. Sir, I am allowing myself to be involved in this controversy, not because I love D. M. L. less (for I don't know who the H. he is) but because I love fair play

I think D. M. L. and Simple Simon are both Britishers; one is of the wrong type, whilst the other is of the right type. And if my understanding of British fair play is right, and I have therefore absorbed my British education aright; then I think Simple Simon is right in principle and practice. I think all good Britishers will agree with Voltaire, when he sald

something like this "I may dislike (or disagree with) what you say, but I will defend with my very life your right to say it." D. M. Li's' Sonse of fairness is I think somewhat perverted; he and his friends started the necusation against us Chinese," and in the nume of common sense, why does not he offer to go to Shanghal, Nanking or Pelping first to make his accusation to the C. P. of one of those cities and then, in the order of seniority. Simple Simon will go to the C. P.

# Sequel To Car Accident

in Hong Kong to do the some.

A traffic accident in Taipo Road of Monday afternoon in which three persons were injuled had a'sequel' in Mr. Blair Kerrs court at Kowloon yeswhen the driver, Cheung Yick-yam, aged 23, was fifted \$250 for darigerous

Cheung's driving licence was ordered to be endorsed and sus pended for three months. Cheung, the driver ' of private

car No. 1004, was driving along my life and soul, "Play the Game"! Taipo Road in a slight drizzle. and "Freedom of Speech." When Trying to avoid a ped-strian, he boxing. I was staught not to hit swerved and ran into the hill and

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19 and 17 years, respectively, learned to fly in four hours at the Far East Flying Training School here .-- ("China Mail"

of only four hours of flying instruction at the

nged 17, and Hong Kong-born John Sherry, 18, must have cut their teeth on aeroplane propellors. They both wanted to fly so badly that they played hookey from school to take lessons. And they were both keen enough students to be able to go solo last Saturday Sunday after only four hours of dual flight each with an in-

Now they must chalk up at least another three more hours examinations before

soon as possible". the "China Mail".

the two boys can take other people up for a look at Hong Kong, provided no money in involved. David already has found one volunteer passenger — his mother. Mrs. Wm. E. Eggleton. John says he is still looking for someone to take along.

Although David had never flown before he took his first lesson at FEFTS in March this year, he has been interested in flying since the age of six. Reading books on aeronautics and building model aeroplanes, he has acquired a useful stock of

knowledge about flying. as David and went solo last of the Dairy Farm Company.

Air Corps has in him an enthusiastic recruit. As yet his duties have not been defined for him, but John containly hopes there will be some flying on the programme.

Air Force.

are doing those things too!

was given seven years' hard la Minister Pandit Nehru if India by Mr. Justice Williams, Puisne ment for a Pacific Pact along the Judge, at the Criminal Sessions same lines as the Atlantic Pact. westerchy, nfter pleading guilty Mr. Nehru's answer, which has to robbery by two or more:

Mr. A. Hooton, three men held live. He said that India was a John said he just wanted to up a married woman, Chan Pik- neutral nation, whose purpose fly and had never made much of wah, near the village of Kam Tin, a hobby of the matter. He be- New Territories, on January 10. gan his lessons at the same time This weman, he said, was an agent The men got away with HK\$240. longer a question of liking or dis-John, at present a student at In the course of their getaway, liking the United Nations, It is a

"A" licences. They are all set future. to run the gamut of spins, stalls, He stressed that the feeling loops and rolls involved in was not shared by the majority learning to do stunt-flying. At but was limited to the "elite"the rate they learn, it probably the members of certain intellec-

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too, expects to be leaving Hong titude was that this aid must not Kong with his parents soon for only continue, but must be in-Southern Rhodesta. He is think- creased. Mr. Brown explained ing of joining the South African that this attitude seemed to be Although they are the youngest United States was exchanging obtaining John and David have no intention people of Europe in the past, at of letting the matter rest with present, and possibly in the

will not be very long before they tual, contomic and political

writer spent several weeks in

Man Kal, 28-year-old farmer, weeks, Mr. Brown asked Prime prints... bour and six strokes of the cane were thinking of leading at move- . Very remonable prices. since been widely circulated by According to Crown Counsel, indws agencies, was in the negawas peace not pacts. Asked for his opinion of the

ration to the utmost."

black eyebrow. "I didn't know cities had souis," he countered. Anyhow, the writer who made the remark probably didn't have

# Correspondence Pilots Of Tomorrow Truth-Seeking Newsman Here

Like Diogenes, Mr. Howard J. Brown of the "Chicago Sun Times" has been searching the world for that most clusive of clusives-Truth. Brown, whose search has taken him nearly all the way around the world in the past year, arrived in Hong Kong last Saturday. He will be leaving in a few days on his way home by way of Shanghal and Tokyo.

Four vacant premises, re-

quisitioned by Government on

March 11, have been allocated

the "China Mail" learned au-

It was learned that the Com-

initiee spent considerable time

going through the large number

of applications for housing ac-

commodation. Members have talso had to investigate personally

The Committee completed its

discussions last Thursday follow-

ing which their recommendations

were sent to Government for

When approved, notices will be

The four requisitioned premises

sent to the successful applicants.

are at No. 50 (ground floor),

Village Road, No. 6, Babblington

Path, No. 521 (ground floor),

Queen's Road West, and No. 69

(ground floor) Jervols Street.

Special watchmen have been

stationed at the four premises

to prevent entry of unauthorised

PLUMBERS

SENTENCED

Dockyard who had pleaded

guilty to charges of larceny

from ship and of possessing

dangerous drugs were sen-

tended at Kowloon yesterday.

imprisonment with hard labour.

The men had stolen some poi-

sonous drugs from the medical

cabin of HMT. Duners on April

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the applicants' eligibility.

can be occupied.

final' approval.

It may or may not be signisicant, but Mr. Brown told the "China Mail" that he had not sought out Government officials for information during the course of his travels. He has avoided most of the "personalities" so often interviewed and quoted by itinerant newspapermen like himself. by the Allocation Committee.

To orientate himself in Hong Song, the young American writer has been, digging into the Colony's I thoritatively, yesterday. old newspaper files. Through re-' The allocations, submitted by search of this kind, he hopes to the Committee to the Deputy acquire a fairly substantial back- Colonial Secretary, now await ground knowledge of political, final approval before the premises rocial and economic conditions ighinst which to picture Hong Kong-and all the other places he has visited—for the readers of the "Chlengo Sun Times".

A graduate of Princeton University's School of Internationa and Public Affairs, Mr. Brown obtained his Master of Arts degree in journalism at New York's Columbia University. He regards his present explorations as another educational course, this time in the "University of

The 26-year-old, Chicago-born student of human nature and affhirs, link been in almost every country in Europe dutside fron Curtain. During the war he saw many of them as a U.S. infantryman. His tour for the "Chlcago Sun Times", however. has taken him into most of the

Asked whether he regarded the Mickingli Plan as a success in Europe. Mr. Brown replied

"It is very difficult to statisticilly appraise the value of the Marshall Plan, because we cannot measure feelings.

Appreciation "On the whole, people are appreciative of the efforts the United States is making on Cheuffg Tim were each sentenced their behalf. Along with their to three months' imprisonment gratitude, however, is a feeling with hard labour and Lam Yeethat 'If this is charity, we don't chan was sentenced to six weeks'

One body of opinion regarded Marshall aid as little more than economic imperialism, he said. based on the conviction that the aid was something owing—the

On his way to the East the

Palestine, where he recorded the scene mainly from the Israeli In India: where he spent nine favorites in yellow: black, white,

United Nations, Mr. Brown's Churchillian reply was: "It is no

The alternative, he said was

Decending to more mundane levels, the "China Mail" asked Mr. Brown how he liked Hong Kong, Did he concur 'with the opinion of a recent journalistvisitor that this was "a city without a soul?". Mr. Brown quirked a heavy

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Further hearing on the alleged swindle case involving HK\$20,000 continued at Central yesterday.

ed to buy the houses.

afterwards.

HK\$149,000.

and Company.

gested that he should

Feng and his friend went to 142

the rich mail from Singapore.

The hearing was adjointed

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Deaths From

Tuberculosis

Forty-three deaths from

tuberculosis during the week

ended April 2 brought the

total deaths from the discase

aince the beginning of the

year to 654, according to offi-

In the same week under

review there were three

deaths from measies and 'one

each from meningitis and en-

teric fever. Total deaths

from all causes amounted to

ended April 2, totalled 863.

of which 452 were on the la-

land, 345 in Kowloon and 66

FUNERAL OF

Queen Mary Hospital after a

Colonial Cemetery yesterday.

of the Union Church.

and A.M. Webster.

I and many others.

Pall Bearers.

The service was conducted by

Messrs, B. Bickford, C. Bork-

clay, R. Barker, R. Catton, I. Ur-

quhard and F. Wellar, acted as

Among those who attended

were: Miss B. Solomom, Miss M.

Williams, G.P. Murphy, Mrs. M.

Comfort, P.V. Shawe, R. Fair-

baine, M. McAlpine, J. H. Bot-

tumley, C.C. Wong, P.Y. Ma,

K.S. Chan, Lee Wing, Y.T. Lee,

K. Forrow, C. Strange, L.C.

Strange, J.F. Anderson, W.E.

Jones, Miss I. Ellery, Mr. and

Mrs. J. Ellery. M.S. Mackay,

Wreathes were received from

Lionel Strange, the residents,

Sunny Court mess, Betty and

Lauden MacFayden, Rugby Ser-

tion of the Hong Kong Footbalt

and Florence, G. Gerrard, A.M.

Taylor, President and members

Club, A. Nicol, Mr. and Mrs. I, H.

in the New Territories.

Births during the week

take an oath of secrecy.

until Tomorcow.

cial figures.

choy, Lee Chung, Tong Mankin and Yip Ying-ho were charged with conspiracy to chent and defraud HK\$20,000 from Yau Cheng-hwa in a fake Fan Tan game.

The first defendant, Yip. jumped ball. Mr. Silva is representing HK\$10,000 out of the HK\$150,000. Mrs. J. Douglas, Dr. and Mrs. the defendants.

Testifying, Lee Itsin sald that he came to Hong Keng from the United States at the end of December, 1946, Soon after his arrival here he engaged selling and buying real estates.

In February last year he bought two houses at Fai Heu Oi, Kow-

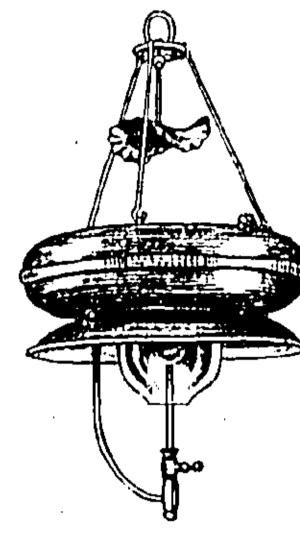
# As Chamber's Representative

Mr. C. Blaker, vice-chairman of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce, was unanimously elected yesterday to represent the Chamber on the Legislative Council in place of Mr. P. S. Cassidy, who is absent from the Colony on

The election was held at the Hong Kong Holel Roof Garden yesterday afternoon. There was only one nomination, and Mr. Blaker was returned unopposed.

Mr. D. F. Landale, who presided, Informed the meeting that the committee of the Chamber was having under consideration a proposal to after the by-laws so that In the event of further elections to the Council, if there was only one nomination, the foresality of on election might be dispersed

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# Personalia

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Walch, Messrs. M. Jojez, Andre Jacques. Rae Smith, and Mrs. Southfile left Hong Kong for Salgon yesterday by Air France.

Mr. Geoffrey Sewell wasamong The defendants, Yip Fuk- loon, Later a man named Feng the passengers who disembarked Fu, together with his friend, ap- from the Air France plane from proached him and said they want- Saigon on Sunday.

> Departures from the Peninsula Mr. Lee asked HK\$70,000 for one house. However they sug- Hotel on Sunday included Mrs. ask M. Harris, Mrs. A. Jaynes, Mrs. IIK\$150,000 for the two houses E. Paulson, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. so that they could make N. Brodie, Mrs. D. Carpenter, They said that they were buy- I. M. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. J. ing the houses for a rich man Birns, and Mrs. S. N. Hsu, Messrs. in Singapore whose son was in A. Kuchnert, S. Rucben, T. C. Han, H. G. Hielman, D. P. Gupta, and Miss D. Morris. After the conversation Lee,

> Among the new arrivals at the Connaught Road Central, They Peninsula Hotel on Sunday Mr. were joined by the first defendant and Mrs. J. Toropovsky, Messra Lee had a talk with Yip and A. W. Hamilton Brown, B. H. agreed to reduce the price to Hawks, C. H. Lee, E. Sigaut, G. Siellers, and T. W. Shone.

, hun Bing-hun left Hong Kong During the meeting they sug- 101 Manila yesterday by CPA.

gested to Mr. Lee that they Departures for Shanghai by the should form a syndicate to cheat s. Shengking yesterday included a man named Mr. Kwong, son of Mr. H. Chirns, Mrs. T. L. Atlung. Sir Robert Calder Marshall, Mr. Lee told them that he never [N G Beale, Mrs. F. Ginter and gambled However, he was asked by them to go the vermidah to b

> Mr. H. Buhr, Mrs. Marie L.M. Duss, Mr. H.H. Hosli, and Mr. Leon H. Young were among the passengers who left for Shanghal by Hong Kong Airways on Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. V E Toropovsky, Miss. B. Birkett, Messrs. M.J.A.M. Leter and J. Cater left for the United Kingdom yesterday' by

Mass M. Arnold, Miss E. Heavr.n. Miss N. Burney, Messrs. S.M.S. Reuben, V.S. Reuben, Look Mount-hay and Han Yin-Suen left for Bangkok yesterday by BOAC.

Mr. V E Ferrier will address the Kowloon Rotary Club tomorrow at the Peninsula Hotel His subject will be "The Automobile Association of Hong Kong."

eral Traffic Manager for Philipplue Airlines, arrived here yesterday from Manila, Colonel Anderson will leave for Tokyo today for consultations with air officials there.

Colonel B L Anderson, Gen-

Mr. Charles Biondi, formerly The funeral of Mr. Alistair | with the International Air Trans-MacKenzie, who died at the portation Association in Singapore, has joined the staff of motor car accident in Wanchai | Philippine Airlines and will beon Sunday, took place at the come Manager of the company's office in Calcutta. Mr. Biondi, who arrived in

Reverend G. Stevenson, M.A., Hong Kong on Monday from of the Union Church Calcutta in about a fortnight. Messrs, J. W. Kay, A. W.

Hamilton Brown, R. E. Murray, and C. P. de Rome arrived in the Colony on Monday from Singapore by CPA. Messrs: C. Austan-Hofer,

Kemp, K. Bryan, R. Byrne and R. A. Prihoda have left the Colony for Sydney. They travelled P.C. Ng. S.K. Jeu, T. Cheung, by CPA.

### FUNERAL OF CHAO PO-IU

The funeral of Mr. Choa Pomanagement and staff of the lu, who died after suffering from a fatal heart attack lat the Race Margie, Chris and Stan, Joan Course on April 18, took place at his residence, 19 Seymour Road,

He was buried at the Chiu Bottumley, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. W. Yuen Cemetery, Pokiulam. A large gathering of his rela-Patterson, Staff of the Building Ordinance Office, PWD. Angus tives, friends and business associates attended, and Webster. Mr. and Mrs. Alick wreathes were sent.

Mr. Choa was survived by his of the Hong Kong Football Club wife, three daughters and one



The 12,526-ton French luxury liner Champolilon made another of her rare appearances when she visited the Colony for a few hours yesterday on route from Snigon to Shanghal. The sleek black three-funnel steamer presented a magnificent contrast as she lay alongside Kowloon Wharf beside the white P. and O. transport Duners, to disembark more than 120 passengers, ("China Mail" photo)

# Though Gay, Saigon Is A Besieged

(By Our Harbour Reporter) place again to ask them to pay | Commander M.E. Lashmore, some bargain money to Hasting Mi. Raymond E. Murry and Mr. | Saigon, once jewel of the French Far Eastern domain, is a besieged city today, despite its superficial glamour of "wine, women and

Along the autskirts, a French soldier stakes his life for his motherland every second of the hour. There, dissident Annamite guerillas conduct a war of nerves, killing ruthlessly with increasing ferocity.

That is the picture of the at any time. If you're there, well capital of Indo-China, as pre- it's your luck," a missionary sented by arrivals from that philosophised. city aboard the French luxury liner Champollion, which pulled in to port on Monday and "Surete" (CID) carries out fredeparted after a few hours for The Champollion brought a versive elements.

contingent of troops, including a "It takes quite an effort to large number of Foreign Legion- prove the bonn fide of native em-"Troops come and go regularly, Surete," a visitor said. and it looks-like the whole thing | The Chinese, however, comseveral missionaries, declared.

Man's Land." Several houses were sudden raids at night.

guerillas, who probably thought days. the area was a French military concentration," he added. The French militia is doing

The hotels, shops and theatres officer declared. are operating with the proverbial gaiety of "wine, women and song." The normal life of the city is that

of serenity and prosperity. But with the coming of dusk Salgon begins to feel the pinch of the prolonged civil strife. Staccato bursts of gun shattered the cold silence of the

Residents employ guards when their doors in the evenings—the ship of land has changed hands French, because they are fearful or is about to change hands inof saboteurs—the Chinese, in ter- dication occasionally has been ror of both French soldiers and given by the seller or his agent guerillas.

guarded around its environs, is a structed. danger spot at night. Vehicles operated by airlines rush passen- ing Authority has power to regers at breakneck speed to the planes. This "life-line" has so far building which differs in design maintained a safe record.

shot some time ago in that area . If there is any doubt as to the although their vehicle had the type of building which will be American flag," they recalled. "It's pure luck, you know. Hand | thority should be consulted begrenudes are thrown here and fore the purchase is made, added

strain in more than one way, the French arrivals stated. I quent round-ups of Annamites in an attempt to weed out the sub-

naires, from Marseilles to Saigon, ployees to the satisfaction of the

won't stop for many more plained of being caught in two months," old residents, including fires, "In their ardent search for Annamite guerillas, the French "We had a taste of it on the soldiers neglected to discriminate very day of our arrival there," a between the Chinese and the Paris businessman returning to Annamites, who are very much Shanghai said. A big fire was alike in appearance," they assertraging on the other bank of the ed. Many Chinese had suffered Mekong River, known as "No rough treatment especially during

The Champollion brought 123 "The cause was not known, but passengers from France and Saiit might have been sabotage by gon, where she remained for four

She will return here enroute to Marseilles. On her arrival here she was

excellent work in maintaining delayed by fog outside local peace and order in the heart of waters. "But generally, the whole journey was plain sailing," an

# Ruling On Construction

forbid erection in any part of pavillon. the Colony of buildings of al Mr. Chan said that his Associa-It is suicidal to drive around different character from those tion has decided to ask Governthe city at night, though it is previously existing on the ment for pennission to creet a within the perimeter of French same site, it was officially an- semi-concrete structure which nounced, yesterday. The statement said that it has

they can afford them. They lock been noticed that when ownerthat a certain type of building The Saigon airport, well- would be permitted to be con-

It was added that the Buildtuse his approval of plans of any or character from those in the "But Two American girls were immediate neightbourhood.

permitted, the appropriate authere, even in the heart of town, the official statement.

Canton Insurance Office, Limited, annual general Jardine's Board Room, 12 Toe H Club meeting, Talbot

House, 50, MacDonnell Road, 8.30 p.m, Literary & Debating Group of

Today

European YMCA, talk by Mr. Robert Bruce, 8.45 p.m. Public hearing of arbitration between H.K. Telephone Co., Ltd., and H.K. Government, SCM Post board room, 10

European residents feel the Sino-British Club Orchestra rehearsal, Cosmo Club, & p.m. King's College Old Boys' Association annual reunion dianer. dance, Roof Garden, H.K. Hatel, 8 p.m.

#### Coming Events TOMORROW

towloon Rotary Club luncheon, talk on Automobile Association of Hong Kong by Mr. V. E. Ferrier, Peninsula Hotel, 12,30 p.m. Y's Men's Ladies Social Night, at Chinese Bankers' | Club, top floor. Bank of East Asia

Bldg., 7.30 p.m.

# Work On Bathing Pavilion Delayed The South China Athletic

Association have found it necessary to delay the commencement of work on their proposed HK\$200,000 bathing pavilion at Ah Kung Ngam, Shaukiwan, pending the result of a fresh petition to Govern-According to Mr. Chan Wing-

pak of the South China Athletic Association, his Club has received permission from Government to erect a temporary matshed Government has the right to structure for use as a bathing

would obviate the possibility of any such dangers as fire, typhoon

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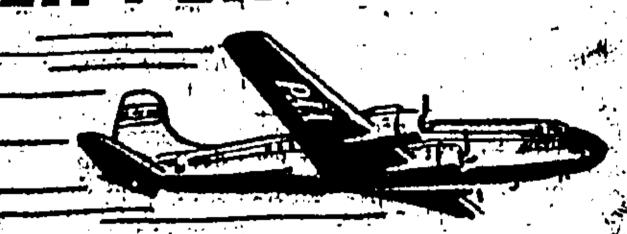
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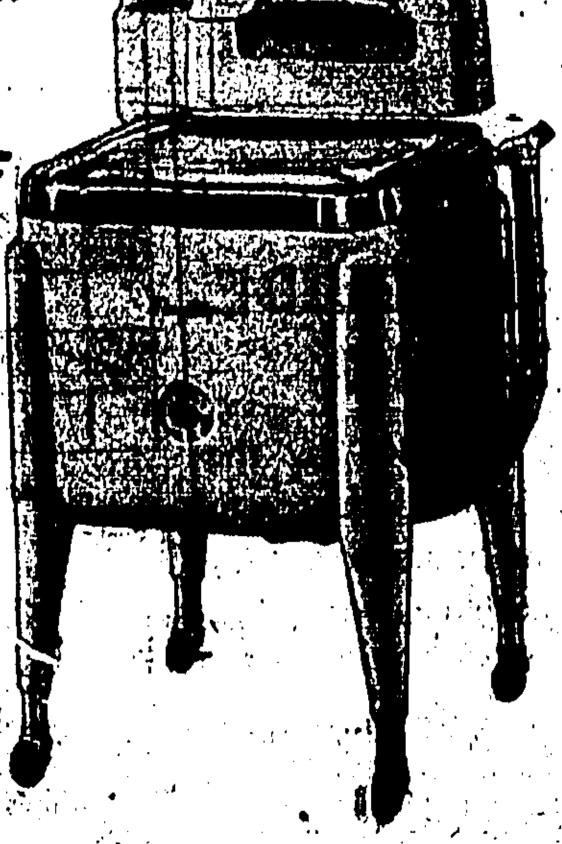
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mence on Monday, April 25

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NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 12th April, 1949 to the 26th April, 1949, both days inclu-

> DODWELL & CO., LTD. General Managers.

It is hereby notified that April 4, 1949.

sive.

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> The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Thursday, 21st April to Thurs-5th May, both days in-

By Order of the Board of Directors.

> A. A. BREMNER. Acting Secretary

Hong Kong, April 12, 1949.

### THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

The Sixty-fourth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the undersigned, on Monday, 23rd May, 1949, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1948, and electing Directors and Auditors.

Any Member entitled to attend and vote is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of him; a proxy need not also be a Member.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 16th May, 1949, to 5th June, 1949, inclusive.

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Travel grants will awarded to persons in the a separate card. following Categories:--

- (a) Professors (to include full professors, readers, lecturers, post-doctoral research scholars and others with eminent academic qualifications.)
- (b) Teachers (to include only those teachers selected under the existing Anglo-American Teacher Exchange Programme.)
- (c) Students (to include predoctoral graduate students and under-graduates.)

During this first year of the programme preference in the student category will be given to graduates, but outstanding under-graduates will be considered as well.

It should be noted that only Six Travel Grants will be available for Colonial applicants.

basic criterion for award of a travel grant is that the applicant possess a guarantee of dollar support in America for the proposed period of his stay, since Fulbright funds are entirely in sterling and can provide no funds in America. Except in the case of a few eminent academic figures who will be provided with First Class passages, all travel grants will cover only the cost of Tourist Class return steamship fare, plus a small allotment for incidental

Application forms are available in the Education Office. Windsor House, and should be completed and returned to that Office before April 30,

expenses.

L. G. MORGAN, Ag. Director of Education. April 14, 1949.

# NOTICE

### MARINE DEPARTMENT NOTICE NO. 11 OF 1949. VICTORIA HARBOUR

REMOVAL OF WRECK

An unclaimed and unidentified wreck, of about 280 feet in length, has been discovered in a position approximately 1,500 feet W.N.W. of Lyemun Beacon.

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CHANGE

Any person, or persons, who consider they have a claim to this vessel should register a claim, not later than the 25th of April, 1949, with the Acting Director of Marine, Marine Office, Connaught Road, Hong Kong.

If no claim are forthcoming, the wreck, which constitutes an obstruction in the waters of the Colony, will be removed in accordance with the provisions of Section 27 of the Merchant Shipping Ordinance No. 10 of

N. GARLAND, Acting Director of Marine.

Marine Office. Hong Kong, April 8, 1949.

#### UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the Head Office of the Society, Union Building, By Order of the Board Hongkong, on Friday, 20th May, 1949, at 11.30 a.m., to receive the Directors' Report and the Statement of Accounts, to declare a dividend and to of the Society.

> SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 29th APRIL to 20th MAY, both days inclusive.

> > By Order of the Board, A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager.

Hong Kong, April 20, 1949.

# NOTICE

# RENEWAL OF BUTTER RATION CARDS

I. When butter rationing started, it was hoped that it would not be necessary to continue it for long. Supplies are adequate but are still not plentiful, and rationing continues to be the fairest way of ensuring an equitable distribution. There is, however, reason to believe that the system has been abused in that ration cards belonging to persons who have left the Colony may still be in use. Particulars of the number of persons on existing cards are also in many cases out of date. It has, therefore, been decided that new eards should be issued. Card holders will be asked to provide fuller particulars when applying for new cards than they have been required to do up to now. For example, details of eard holders' passports will be required to enable the rationing authorities to cancel their cards when they leave the Colony. For similar reasons everyone who has reached the age of 16 will have to have

New cards will for the present only be issued to persons covered by existing butter ration cards.

To reduce delay and inconvenience to the public In obtaining new butter cards, separate dates have been fixed on an alphabetical basis. Those dates are:-

(n)	Person begin	ns wi with	iose the	names letters	<b>A</b> — <b>C</b>	. , 25th-27th	April
<b>(b)</b>	,	**	,.	**	<b>D</b> — G	28th-30th	April
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- III. What To Do. 1. On the appropriate date, go to the Price Control Office, Old Urban Council Building, Statue Square, opposite the Hong Kong & Shanghai Bank, between 9.30 a.m. and 1.0 p.m. or 2.0 p.m. and 6.0 p.m.
  - 2. Take with you (i) your existing ration card, (ii) all passports held by you and members of your family.
  - 3. At the Price Control Office you will be asked to fill in application forms for new butter ration cards. 4. The new cards will be prepared and handed to you
  - 5. Take the new card to your retailers and register with them; they will keep the counterfoil attached
  - to it. The authorised retailers are the Dairy Farm. Ice & Cold Storage Co., Ltd., and Lane, Crawford Ltd. They will register customers holding the new cards only at their main shops in Des Voeux Road, Central. Keep both cards until the date on which the new
  - (a) New cards will for the present only be issued to persons covered by existing butter ration cards.

card will come into force is announced.

- (b) As everyone who has reached the age of 16 must in future have a separate butter ration card, separate application forms will be required. But it is not necessary for each individual to go to the Price Control Office. A husband, for example, may fill up application forms on behalf of his wife and children provided the necessary documents are produced.
- (c) Children under 16 will be included in their Mothers! or Fathers' card. Particulars of such children will therefore be entered on the application form of one of the parents.
- (d) Persons already covered by block rations issued to certain hotels and masses will continue to be supplied in the same way. If you have been able up to now to get butter at your hotel or mess without an individual ration card, you do not need one now.

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"Confound it, Slug, you're makin' enough money to afford a sitter on your old lady's bingo nights!

# BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay "The Authority on Authorities" TWO PLAYS INVITED WHENEVER an opponent dou- developed, the squeeze would bles your high contract, he in- have required South's co-operavites you to make one of two tion, whereas the lead-thrower

plays against him. The first is a would not. squeeze and the second a throw- Winning the first trick with in. By means of either device, the heart K, East ran five diayou can often make him virtu- monds and three spades. If the ally toss away some otherwise latter suit had broken evenly, virile card and enable you to the thirteener would have been score a crucial trick with a all he needed. But it did not, smaller one. Often such a play | So next he led to the heart A should be attempted anyway, but and brought back the 9, which after the double locates certain he knew South could win. The probable strength for you, there latter was then obliged to lead

along those lines. S J D 6 5 H87543 D 10 9 7 75 A K Q W E DQ543  $\neg C A Q 2$ C 9 6 S 8 4 HQJ10

CKJ108753 (Dealer: South, Both sides vulierable). North East

Pass Pass What a terrific jump by East That kind of bidding may not seem as precise as some other | S 10 7 procedures, but it does have s H 10 5 4 very special value of its own. It D 9 5 4 keeps the opponents in the darvic K J 8 cegarding your side's specific 4 2 holdings and may cause them to misplay their defence, whereas more thorough revealing of de-

talls may tell them how to beat South naturally opened his vulnerable). heart Q. The declarer, after noting his situation, realised he had tra at 6-No Trumps following the a choice between a squeeze and spade 10 lead?

| throw-in to thwart South. As it

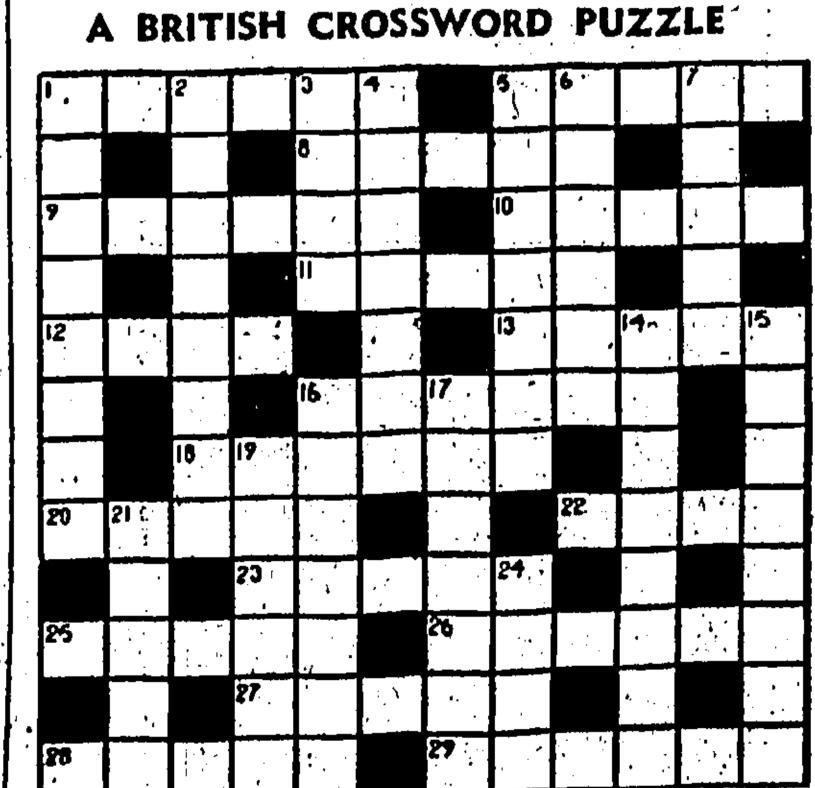
is no excuse for failure to plan from his club K-J into the A-Q to give declarer the last two tricks.

If you puzzle out the squeeze play, based on giving up the second trick with a club, you will see that South could wreck it by returning a heart to remove the A from dummy as a needed inte entry during the squeeze. Any other return by South would have been salubrious, but only a very poor player would have done anything else, no matter what he held.

# Tomorrow's Problem

SAKJ82 H Q D 8 7 CAQ976 →S 953 H K 8 7 6 WE DO 1 10 S S Q 64 HAJ932

DAK 2 C 10 5 (Dealer: South. North-South How should South seek an ex-



20 Soothsayers. 22 Glvp up. 23 Book of maps. 25 Ration. 26 Vehement 10 Essential. 11 Pick-me-up. 12 Invalid. 27 Went wrong.

#### 16 Expunge. 18 Frightuned. Yesterday's Crossword

28 Uncanny.

1 29 Choose.

#### Down 14 Produce. 1 Sets in 15'Apartment

order. 2 Reveal. B One. 4 Getbotter 5 Amended. 6 Bring to light. 7 Collision.

16 Coward. 17 Ambassadors 19 Shell-hole. 21 Dodge. 24 Surface. Rite, 29. Averted, 30 Lone, 31

house.

Coma, 32 Plain, 33 New. DOWN-1 Shift, 2 .- Etratic, 4 Truns, 5 Most, 6 Diva, 9 Mere, 11

ACROSS: 3 Stem, 7 Charm. P Covet, 13 Harp, 14 Will, 16 Opine. Epic, 9 Mute, 10 Effices, 12 Thaw, 17 Spar, 18 Dait, 20 Emerald, 22 15 Torso, 18 Dive, 19 Peril, 21 Live, 24 Wanes, 25 Tepid, 27 Idol. Peace, 22 Limb, 28 Twine, 26 28 Elen.

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# STASSEN REITERATES HIS PLAN FOR ASIA

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change of goods between these

countries should be estab-

lished," Mr. Stassen sald.

Asia, -Associated Press.

"In reconstruction in the

rivers of India."

recovery of Japan.

Philippines."

Philadelphia, April 19. Harold E. Stasson yesterday again urged a "Mac-Arthur Plan" for Asia to match the Marshall Plan in Europa.

of the University of Pennsylvania, set forth his plan in a letter to the "Evening Bulletin." He said he wants to make developing American approach to clear that his speech in Boston Asia may be carried to the many earlier this month was not to peoples and many lands of that urge aid solely for China, but vnst section of the world,"

for all of Asia. The Republican leader indicated that he' thinks many persons may have misinterpreted his Bos-

In his letter Mr. Stassen wrote: "The netions of our Government in Asia since the end of the war have been contrary to the Judgment, the advice and the counsel of the overwhelming majority of the best informed, impartial students of the world." Mr. Stassen said the European Recovery Programme for Europe fostered by the former Secretary of State, George Marshall, is "the most significant single thing we have done since the end of the

He added; Tragic Failure

"The failure to have a similar co-ordinated, elementary approach toward Asia has been our most tragic failure since the end of the war,

"Asia is different and therefore it cannot be a direct counterpart. That is why I suggested the name 'MacArthur Plan' -to use the appealing, respected name of that great here as the label by which the unfolding, evolving,

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#### U.S. Military Withdrawal The former Governor of Minnesota, now President From Korea

Washington, April 18. The State Department today said that discussions are under way for the removal of American troops from Korea. Negotiations are being held at Scoul, the capital of the new Under Mr. Stassen's pro-Korean Republic. However, gramme, the U.S. would assist: withdrawal, if agreed upon. 1. "In improving transportawill not take place for several tion in China and Burma." months.-United Press. 2, "In extending engineering

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* KILLER'S WIDOW HAS TRIPLETS

Montreal, April 18. Mrs. Noel Cloutier, widow of a gumman hanged on March 11 for the murder of two policemen, gave birth to triplets today.

The former Presidential can- Cloutier was executed despite didnte said the U.S. now has no pleas for a stay of execution bepolicy and no plan for Asia and cause of his wife's pregnancy, One he asked that the Government at other man was also hanged for an early date establish a plan the murders, committed during an for Asia and place it in the attempted bank hold-up, A third hands of able men who knew man is under sentence of death,-

# American Policy Asia Attacked

Washington, April 18. Republican Senator, Karl Mundt, condemning the State Department for doing nothing to stem the Communist tide in Asia, tonight called for a re-definition of United States foreign policy along positive, consistent lines.

as House Foreign Affairs Com- pletely nothing—as an alternative shall Plan, Senator Mundt said he success." had lost some of his enthusiasm. The plan was originally designed to assist countries anywhere in the world in their fight against Communism, but that objective! had been "stricken" as a result of "inaction on the part of the

executive". "No assistance is now being extended to China," said Senator Mundt, "Asia apparently has discouraging prospect, he added. been marked off as a loss, Over elutehes of Communism,

15 p.m.-An informal interview positively, eloquently and com- whole."-United Press.

Recalling his support last year | but offers nothing-definitely, mittee member of the initial Mar- programme with any prospect for

As a result, Senator Mundi maid, half the world is collapsing white the U.S. tries to stem the tide of Communism by building a higher, broader and more expensive dyke on one side of the river while leaving the Red waters to rush In to flood the plains of Asia. That is a devastating and most United States' foreign policy

half the people of this globe are must be clarified and must be being left to shift for themselves made "positive, consistent, inand seem about to fall into the clusive, effective and understandable—and, above all, a realistic "Against this awful possibility foreign policy which will resist and this imminent prospect, our evil where it finds it and which State Department not only frowns will realise that the world can-8.60 p.m -- World News and News An- | on efforts by Congress to extend not be half bad and half good some help to avert this calamity, without bringing ruln to the

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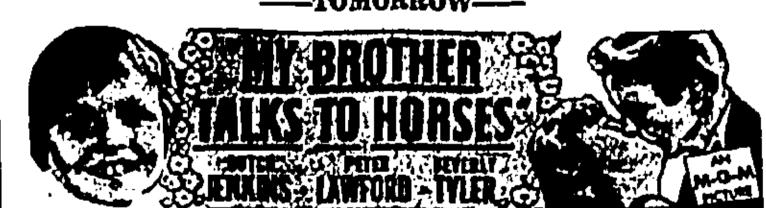
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"WHISPERING SMITH"

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'The objective of this programme," it says, "is not to defeat the Nanking Government but to destroy it."

whole economy of China."

meant but often blundering to resist the foe alone. policy" of attempting to bring! zeal has prompted our flattering and their gigantle ability to enin a policy that has contributed dure."-United Press. to the republic's threatened ex-

The editorial added; "What we can hope for now is that in all China a readily understandable wish for peace will not entirely overcome the will to be free,

#### Small Chance

of the Republic of China, the iongovernment we have recognised! and the Government we en-I SUFVÍVAL.

"The target is not the troops, "But we can pray that China of Chiang Kai-shek but the herself will not be entirely inundated by the Red flood. It "may be that some part of Discussing the United States China, some island of resistance, "misguided" efforts in a "well- will be obliged for the time being "Once more, we shall be

reform in China, the obliged to depend on the magni-"Times" said: "United States' fleent patience of the Chinese

### **FOREIGNERS** IN JAPAN

Washington, April 18. The II-nation Far Eastern Comhas extended for nine the time permitted months foreigners to study Japanese "The legitimate Government technical and scientific informat-

The ruling gives technical missions the right to slay in Japan treated to stand fast against until December 31 to complete our Japanese enemy, appears their investigations. Previously now to have small chance of they had been due to leave on March 31. — Associated Press.

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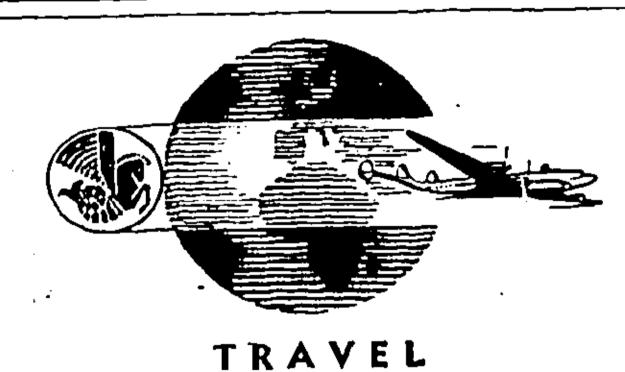
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### COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE

to the Company CHINA MAIL

The conference of Commonwealth prime ministers beginning tomorrow in London may be one of the most important events in our his-

For centuries the Empire and criticised by the outside a metropolis about aix times the the discs greatly to my discomworld, but forming the largest and most stable amai- us many spectator. This at the gamation on earth of peace- game's accepted headquarters! loving peoples striving towards freedom and demo-London. to keep order in thanks from all the other been proved right in practice. bridges etc.

Then came the second the Far East the nationalistic this is correct. feelings of the foreign-governed peoples were crystalby the tongue-in-thecheek Japanese propaganda colonial powers. One after ed in a similar way. the other they demanded their independence, and India, Pakistan, Ceylon and Burma received it. Eire. lic. We withdrew our troops and abandoned the mandate traces of British occupation

from Egypt. Whether all this has been to the good of the peoples concerned, not to mention the world at large, remains to be seen. Even the opprobrium has not ceased. The Indian races demanded selfrule, but when visitors now exclaim at the misrule, the chaos and the obvious decay. they claim that Britain left them unprepared to govern themselves. The Israelites

also want it both ways. various ways, and the extent sary. But I would dearly like to improve the Arm to improve the sary all makes all make to which this is maintained and developed will have crowds. enormous consequences not only for the Commonwealth least at the principal English but for the world at large. This gives the forthcoming conference a striking impor-

The future of South Africa will almost certainly be one major item on the agenda. Dr. Malan, for many years violently anglophobe, is now believed willing to remaininside the Commonwealth, while rejecting the Crown. and this attitude is probably scores and the total at the fall of the English public as English plump for it. shared by Premier Nehru of India. In point of fact, Inmain subject for discussion, to Englishmen—are never shown and provided her leader is on English scoreboards. willing to compromise, it is neutrality in war, a mutually satisfactory formula may be found. Purists and fanaties, of course, claim that it is a contradiction in terms their sale would be lost. to be both a republic and a member of the Common-

wealth. be true, but this great but the knowledge that they could loosely-connected association of peoples has survived until now, not only because of its ther they will or not swear common aspirations, but be- allegiance to the Crown. cause of its adaptability. This may seem like the end The new conference may re-to the diehard, but it may sult in self-governing mem- on the contrary be only the bers having the option whe beginning.

# HARD-HITTING ARTICLES BY A GREAT CRICKETER

# BRADMAN SPEAKS OUT

County Cricket Inadequacies

In my visits to England I have always been disappointed by the certain it would be so popular clined. that it would justify the cost of

for the public still lag behind the popularity of the game, able standards.

I know it will be argued that to get 'em out," Not that Hedley today English cricket authorities needed any help. adequate long before 1939.

70,000 at a Test match at Mel- | displaying coloured discs. bourne, a city of roughly 1,250,grew and developed, envied | 000 people, whereas Lord's, in size, will hold only about half

I know it is an important consideration that in Australia the same grounds are used in the Its centre was always winter for football, which proprovided vides much-needed finance. Australia bullt more stands increase the nopularity of sport ensure safety and security people would know they could get along the trade routes of the la seat, and we would thus secure seven seas (evoking little their attendance, And we have

I believe I am correct in saying maritime powers who with- that at every Test match played out cost derived the bene- at Leeds in my time, thousands fits), and British taxpayers of people, at some stage or other they mean so much to the bats- so few fast bowlers? Why is Eng- but he stuck to his guns and, as money to build roads, dams, or the game, falled to get into

I hear there is a programme them there is serious risk of a man about it?" afoot to enlarge the accommoda- being injured by fast bowling. great war, and especially in tion as soon as possible. I hope

At Mancheste: I was pleased to hear of the ambitious £100,000 scheme to rebuild Old Trafford on modern lines. I wish them trouble this year, particularly from takes its place, luck, and trust Lord's and other the pavilion end. We had similar

# Women Welcome

People will give up trying to conditions during the day. At see cricket if the accommodation Leeds the most trying period was too, decided to sever bonds and facilities are not there. Even before lunch when the sun was with the Crown and become now many must stay away be- shining brightly. a completely separate repub- cause of the quoues, the doubt In the background for the batsabout getting in, and the crowded man, was a mass of people with conditions once inside.

One English, friend went so difficult to pick up the flight of of Palestine, and removed all far as to say: "There are so many the ball against that mingled piccricket lovers crowded out that ture of white shirts and darker to Tests." I would not like to More than once a batsman who in it until 1938. England had Ken every basic method of utilising a suggest that in Australia, where was hit or nearly hit by the ball Farnes and G.O. Allen, while we cricket ball has been employed. women are such a welcome told me alterwards that he lost had II'm Wall and Ernie You can spin it only from left to

feature of our crowds. Nor, of course, do I in any way sympathise with the idea for England. I have mentioned it only as showing how crowd problems are pressing on cricket authorities in England.

attraction of any public pastime the highest grade of cricket. concerning the performers; and delays in England caused by people one again.

are numbered. ly associated with Britain in on cricketers. That is unneces-

to see England follow the Aus- to improve things all round and to see Engineer for prevent misunderstandings in the mented with in England and of whose centenary celebrations 1 would like to see adopted at grounds, the Australian idea of vociferous and objectionable

modern, informative scoreboards, | really unfounded, English scoreboards give the minimum information: lian indicators give it all. For instance, in Australia the fieldsmen's names are on the board, times, as in the case of the man In a hotter climate and on and a light flashes against a who is said to have sung out to the harder wickets we still have the man's name when he fields the late and much-esteemed J. W. H. T. | eight-ball over. That shows you ball. That is unheard of in Eng- Douglas: "Go on at the other end, what we think of it. land-and so is our system of Johnnie, and look at your analy- We take the view that the eight-

batsmen out are given with their suffer quite as much at the hands demur, I am sure the slow bowlers of wickets. In England this in- | players do in Australia; perhaps | Cricket is not conducted for the formation is restricted to the more. man whose wicket has last fallen. dia's position must be the Furthermore, sundries-"extras"

England's albernative to the Australian scoreboard is the con considered that, in spite of dinuous issue of cords on which his recent declarations of all this information is set out. When I discussed this with a county club official he pointed out that a comprehensive score-board would render score cards unnecessary, and revenue from

# Tactical Upset

This may on the surface attend cricket matches, happy in

follow the game easily. I cannot has not increased in Australia; if prove this by figures, but I am it has changed at all, it has de-

In England things seem to me to have become a bit more vocal, and erecting modern scoreboards. I rather doubt whether the public The late Hedley Verlty-lovable | 1, so well versed in the game as in while players' dressing-room ar- friend-once said: 'The only pre-war days. That is probably rangements are far below reason- thing those Australian score- due to war-time interruption of boards don't do is tell you how first-class cricket.

There is a new generation watching the game and sometimes cannot get permission to build, In the centre of the Australian the young chap of 22 or therebut this was not so before the ecoreboard, too, is shown the abouts is seeing first-class cricket all round last summer this refutes They gather at the Wall and wall, war, and accommodation was in- number of overs bowled, over by for the first time. He does not, over. In England, there is the therefore, make so good It is an anomaly that in Aus- antiquated method of signaling audience as the boy who has tralla we can seat more than the approach of the new ball by grown up with the game.

more runs, but because without with Australia? What can be done

During one Test match this

captain of the fielding side,

ahead a bit more than that.

'Lost' Ball

out a sight-screen at each end.

that barracking in Australia is

Caustić Comments

of the borders.

crowd.

But this loss of opportunitywith its consequent lack of knowyear someone forget to put up ledge-will automatically adjust itself ha the years go by.

fort, not to say disadvantage, as The Australian public, for reasons which I will explains in a is no short cut to success. completely upset my tactical use later article is better educated in the finer points of play.

At another ground the scorers' box was on the opposite side to let me say that I have had recept change his style considerably the scoreboard. Therefore, when tions from the public which I shall before he became the wonderful the discs went up they were remember all my days. They have slow bowler who could still, in not on the scoreboard; they were swept aside any and all annoy- the veteran stage, peg away until because it was felt they would on the scorers' box. As I was ances. I go out of dannels with the he dropped. watching the scoreboard I did not fondest thoughts of crowds at home find out where the disc, were and on tour. until two overs before I could At Leeds, in particular, the end in a barn.

take the new ball; and I look spontaneous and enthusiastic welcome on my last visit to the crease hard road to fame, too. His grip Then there is the question of brought a lump to my throat, sight-screens. It is a great pity | Leaving the crowd and returnthey are not uniformly used on ing to the game itself, I was often all English grounds, not because asked in England; "Why are there man in the sense that he will get land so short of them compared

If you look through cricket history you will find it goes in cycles. A country is strong at one period in a particular phase of the game, and at another period that strength At Nottingham we had great disappears and something else

fast bowlers, while England had to run away from hard work. I was very hard to see the ball against the background of the no outstanding men of pace. Remember, also, the changing

their conts off and it was most

# Aussie Pioneers

sight of it against the background. McCormick.

Now we come to 1948, and it so or back-spin. In Australia there is not a not be allowed to interfere with turn in the cycle.

the best possible conditions for players, especially when these has no fast bowler, and I do not different and tends to be more Another important part of the Anglo-Australian games rank as think there is any particular effective because it is new and is the provision of information Then there are the interminable certain that England will have tomed to it.

People still write letters to the the ovals are always enclosed by a pioneers of the eight-ball over. The road to big cricket has former Empire is still close- British Press suggesting numbers the fence, with the sight screen inside which we claim to be a great been painstakingly trodden improvement on the six-ball through the years by a long line

> M.C.C. decided against its use. was not lost on the Australians. I know one reason advanced No game, probably, has been The general belief in England was that it discouraged fast so richly served by glorious is bowlers. But the whole argument players. What a chance there is

a magnificent fast bowler with the trouble to benefit by their disthe eight-ball over whereas with | coveries! the six-ball over there is no sign The wit may be caustic some- of one in England.

recording, run-by-run, a bowler's sis!" But my experience is that, ball over brightens cricket by by and large, it is not too caustic. | decreasing the number of inter-In Australia the names of all All told, I think we Australians vals. Even if the fast bowlers

benefit of one particular class of I am quite certain barracking bowler, and the final analysis

**DO YOU** KNOW YOUR HONG KONG? Can you repegnise where this picture was taken? The akewer le in Page

should be to decide which sounder for the players and more attractive for the spectators. I am atill of the opinion that the eightball over is preferred by the

Maybe the shortage of fast bowlers in England is due to the wear and tear of the long County Championship programme. But English cricket has always produced a fair proportion of fast bowlers in the past, and I see no reason why it should not do so in the future.

At has been suggested that English wickets have been slowed down too much; that this has broken the hearts of fast bowlers. and discouraged their art.

But, in the main, wickets on our last tour were more helpful to fast bowlers than they were before the war.

took about the highest number of the typesetter or Russia's "Truth" wickets in county cricket in 1948. is a bit dopey.... He is the fastest bowler playing | regular county cricket, but is not fast by Lindwall standards. Seeing we had the faster attack | With writings indiscreet.

the suggestion that Test wickets | Their Wall in Wyndham Street ... are made to suit the home team. And very soon a Voice is heard A bowler has either the ability | Whose accents always please to bowl faster than the other The consciences most sensitive fellow or he has not. There is no Of vested types like these ....

Lindwall can bowl faster than Alec Bodsor. What I do know is that there

Clarrie Grimmett had to pegaway for years, first in New And here, on a personal note, Zealand, then in Amstralia, and

> Wilfred Rhodes, they say, bowled as a youth for hours on

> Our Bill O'Reilly travelled the of the ball was rather out of the ordinary, and when he was in danger of falling to make the grade he was urged to alter it; the result of his own natural genius, became the greatest bowler of his time.

A cricketer need not be orthodox. Individuality should be encouraged.

### No Short Cut

For instance, Australia was on . Most great players have had and the disappearance of the Test grounds can soon be extend- difficulty at the Oval against Sur- top in 1920-21 with J. M. Gregory to practise and practise. In rey, and in the Test at Leeds it and Ted Macdonald as the great modern cricket there is a tendency If a chap thinks he can put in By 1926, however, the tide had 10 minutes at the nets and become turned. Harold Larwood was just a Test batsman he has another coming into big cricket and the think coming. Equally, the boy other men were on the way out. who is a bowler must go to the In 1928-29, when Gregory broke nets and bowl for hours on end it down, Larwood became established he is to make a name. Only by as the fastest bowler in the game, such practice and study of the remained so until he retired, technique and tactics will cricket see the development of future

> There is not much scope now for AFTER that there was not much new methods. So far as I know,

ground in first-class cricket with- happens that we have a very good | However, there are always fast bowler in Ray 'Lindwall, players coming along who do Financial considerations should which seems to me only another something with the ball which is la variation of something done I cannot tell you why England before. Their method is a little reason for it. I only know it is batsmen have not become accus-No, there is no short cut to Test

the play. That is why footbatters walking behind the bowler. This It may be interesting to mention cricket, as my own experiences cannot happen in Australia where here that we in Australia are the will show. But this I will say: of famous players—back to, and The eight-ball over was experi- beyond, W. G. Grace, the meaning

falls to the ground as we produce for the youngsters who will take



The job of the Commonwealth Premiers is to prove to India that the Raj you know is better than the Mirage you imagine.

So the Golden Curtain has at last fallen over Hong Kong.

Seems there are lots of fireworks going off around the Bonn

The plane "Sunkist Lady" has been aloft for more than a month. Must be pretty well browned off by now.

The cold, war nations are now going to get busy on Antarctica. Enough to make a lot of blue whales blubber:

"Heroin is one of the manifestations of the superlority of the Tom Pritchard, the New Zealan- socialist system of economy over der who plays for Warwickshire, the capitalist," says Pravda, Either

LOCAL ORACLE

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logical reason, that I know, why So that, relieved they turn from To thoughts of further squeeze!

> The Communists have now set a deadline for cutting the KMT

> Sometimes when you see a VIP arriving by BOAC it's a Very Important Prisoner .... Man ate 223 aspirin tablets and

> was soon expirin. "Optimism is raising its pretty little head here and there in the American business world."-A.P.

Must be the Pax Factor affect-"Do swans fly across country. If so, how far?--Ignorant." "Yes, the distance depends on

where they are going.-Editor. "The Scottish Farmer". For long journeys, of course, they start farther away.

A citizen complains that on arriving home, after being held up by the police for a minor motoring offence, he found that his house had been entered by robbers, who took everything he had. Except his name, of course, which he had luckily left with the police.



H'm!-most unusual. What happened to the goalkesper? "

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# WEST REFUSES TALKS BERLIN COLD WAR

Lifting Of Blockade First Prerequisite ENVOY TO

Berlin, April 18. According to informed British and American quarters here, Russian

approaches to American diplomats in Washington last, week suggesting fresh discussions of a Berlin settlement have met a definite refusal of negotiations on any aspect of the German question until the blockade is lifted.

The Americans told the Russian diplomats that this view is shared by the British and French. They also asked for further details of the Russian suggestions.

When no details were immediately forthcoming they refused to discuss the matter further, these sources said.

The sources attach little im- | Allied officials are convinced portance to rumours which have that a powerful combination of been current here for the last political and economic motives is two or three days that the pressing the Russians to write off Russians are manoguvring for a suitable position in which to Communist cause in Western

lift the Berlin blockade The only move that can alter Powers' prestige here. the present situation, according to these sources, is a direct Soviet liations has presumably become offer to lift the blockade and discuss the German question on 3;

four-Power basis. Washington.

ence staffs have followed careful- and machinery and West Berlin ly the moves of this envoy, who electrical products to the required Is reported to be General Malinin, extent. during the past few weeks.

### Blockade's Failure

He cannot fail to realise. these sources said, that the success of the airlift has provided the complete answer to any Soviet policy to drive the Western Powers out of the city.

# Manoeuvres By U.S. Army Germany

Zone Constabulary are tonight out. completing the first phase of their biggest post-war battle practice held along the Ba- of the Berlin blockade had been varian-Czechoslovak border.

withdrawing to strategic defence was questioned on the matter. lines along the Ludwig Canal. Sweden, Holland and Norway possibility of some truth in the watched as the steel-helmeted many rumours of a Soviet ap-Constabulary units began their proach to Washington. The probstrategic withdrawal to a region ability that the Soviet Governwhere the American ist Division ment is making a fresh attempt had already set up a defence line. to secure a solution of the Ger-

in war games. Twenty-five P-47s (Thunder- strengthened in recent weeks by bolts), playing the role of ag- the economic difficulties in Eastgressor planes, "buzzed" the city ern Germany. of Nuremberg, headquarters of the defending forces, during the day --- Reuter.

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The blockade is harming the Germany and raising the Western Russia's interest in new nego-

more urgent with the approaching birth of a West German state. The Allied counter-blockade of Western Allied political officials the Soviet zone has proved are therefore interested in re- | serious hindrance to the realisa- | ports that the Soviet Government | tion of Soviet economic plans. had sent a special envoy to Even intensive smuggling has been insufficient to supply the British and American Intellig- Soviet zone with German steel

Economic interest has led to a He is said to have spent some reversal of East Berlin's blockade time in Paris studying European | policy during the last week. The reaction to the Berlin dispute, ban on the introduction of West later coming to Berlin to confer marks in the Soviet sector has with German politicians and So- | been dropped. The Soviet-conviet Military Government offi- troffed city railway now accepts it. The East Berlin administrution is inviting West Berlin firms

### **London Reaction**

to trade with them.

Berlin reports that General by diplomatic observers in London as a strong pointer to the existence, of Soviet-American contacts on the possibility ending the Berlin blockade.

No official comment is avail- particularly in Germany. able from the British Foreign This German source stated,

that any approach on the subject Acheson. received from the Soviet Govern-This morning they are massed ment. But it has been noted along the border against an im- here that no categorical denial aginary aggressor from the East, was made by Mr. Dean Acheson, Quring the day they have been U.S. Secretary of State, when he Observers from Britain, France, been impossible to exclude the

The manoeuvres, which will man problem as a whole, before eventually engage almost 70,000 a West / German Government is troops, also marked the first time set up, and would even be prethat American Civil Affairs teams pared to raise the Berlin blockade have accompanied tactical troops as a preliminary, is thought by observers here to have been

> If the report of General Malinin's trip proves to be socurate, it will certainly be in

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terpreted here as evidence that a solution for Berlin is under

#### discussion. **British View**

The British view, there is ernment was then ready to discuss the German problem as a voted against. whole on a four-Power basis after ! the Berlin blockade had been

tary of the Soviet Embassy said today that the Embassy had not chase tax. been informed of the possible ar-

official from Berlin. and reports about various mat- will prevent new wage demands. ters affecting Germany. They are so many and so varied that the Department will make no comment on them."

According to a reliable source in Berlin close to the Soviet Military Administration today, a Soviet official, travelling in plain Military Government, has left for Washington yesterday on an Naval Staff, said here tonight be-

Embassy there. purpose of the mission is to ob- on April 24. of tain first-hand information on the

Office but it is clear to observers however, that the blockade is not that the British Government is one of the principal subjects to not directly concerned in any be discussed in Washington. So-Troops of the United States feelers that may have been put viet Military Government circles Before the week-end, a Foreign | whether or not the envoy will Office spokesman formally denied attempt to make contact with Mr.

Rumours that the Russians plan to lift the Berlin blockade were discounted in Paris by the French Foreign Minister, M. Robert Schuman.

"It is only a rumour," M. For some days, therefore, it has Schuman told reporters, "but it. for the special operation on Friis already quite a lot that it (the day and Saturday, which was unrumour) exists."-Reuter and As- dertaken to test the full capacity sociated Press.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* RUSSIAN -DELEGATE'S DENIAL

Lake Success, April 18. Mr. Jacob A. Mailk, permanent Soviet delegate to the United Nations, today implicitly denied a report that he had made a peace proposal on the Berlin problem to Philip C. Jessup, American Ambassader-at-large.

Asked about a report made by the commentator, Drew Pearson, Mr. Malik sald: "Pearson always invents." When questioned whether the flood of Berlin peace reports can be dismissed as baseless, Mr. Mallk laughed and said: "No comment."

He shrugged off a query on a report that the Russians have sent a special envoy to Washington to discuss the whole Berlin situation.-United Press.

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# Budget Proposals

Blackpool, April 18. Members of the 350,000strong Union of Shop Distributive and Allied Workers today voted to ask the Labour Government to reconsider its 1949

Budget proposals. They supported by an overwhelming majority on a show every reason to believe, remains of hands a declaration by the the same as in the four-power Union's National Executive asking talks on the raising of the block- for an immediate reconsideration ade, which took place in Moscow of the proposals on increased food last summer. The British Gov- prices and the retention of the purchase tax. Only one delegate

The Executive declared that the Union is profoundly disturbed at the Government's de-In Washington, the Press Secre- | cision to "peg" food subsidies | and to give no rellet on the pur-

The Executive declared that rival in Washington of a Soviet the Union is convinced that if the prices of essential goods are Answering queries about a re- to be mereased as a result of a ported Soviet mission to Washing- | policy of pegging food subsidies, ton, said to concern Germany and | then the effect on living stanthe Atlantic Pact, the State De- | dards, which are already below partment said: "The Department | minimum needs, will be such is aware of the many rumours | that no amount of exhortation

### AUSSIE ADMIRAL GOING TO UK

Sydney, April 18. Rear-Admiral John Augustine clothes, left the German capital Collins, Chief of the Australian for Washington, are interpreted important mission to the Soviet fore leaving by air for Britain This source stated that the conference beginning in London

. Admiral Collins said the con-Atlantic Pact and on its possible ference will last about a week, after-effects in Western Europe- after which he will confer with the Admiralty for two or three days. He will take part in "Trident," the name given to the exercises to study the effect of atomic weapons in a war at sea .--

# BERLIN AIRLIFT

Berlin, April 18. During the 24 hours ending this afternoon, 6,555 tons of goods were flown into Berlin in 988 airlift flights, the British-licensed German news agency, DPD, stated. This was a new record except of the airlift, it added. - Reuter.

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# OF PLANS FOR U,S. NEGRO STATE

New York, April 19. A Georgia negro, who said he was trained in Moscow, testified yesterday that a negro nation was to have been formed from Southern sections of the United States by the flames of violent revolution.

William Odell Nowell, a U.S. Government em-Russia.

There, he said, Red Army structors schooled him in the

lectured on the violent over. throw of the Capitalistic system and the establishment of a proletarian dictatorship. Out of this blood bath, Nowell

said, was to come a new negro nation, conceived in violence and dedicated to extending the Communist revolution throughout the United States.

Nowell said—that "Black Belt of the South", where Communists claimed negroes - are in the majority.

dustrial workers in bringing hope for socialism under the preabout revolution in the North sent Administration. and hence throughout the

whole country." Nowell said he first went Moscow in 1029 as an official representative of the American an anniversary celebration the Russian Revolution.

In 1931, he testified, he returned to America to attend the Lenin Institute. He said that Jacob Stachel, one of the 11 defendants, headed his group of students.—Associated .Press.

Casablanca, April 18. Forty people were injured, some seriously, when a wooden stand collapsed at a gymnastic festival here this afternoon, -

ployee, told a jury at the conspiracy trial of 11 senior Communists that he once was a student of revolution at the feet of Party leaders in

ILP TATTACK science of civil warfare. Other instructors, he testified.

GOVERNMENT Blackpool, April 18. The Labour Government has spent the major part of its three and a half years in power in making Britain a safe place for It was to extend from Vir- capitalism, a resolution by the

ginia to the Mississippi delta, Independent Labour Party, small left wing group that was the forerunner of the Labour Party, said today. Whole Country

The resolution, passed at the South," the witness went on in party's unnual conference here, a hushed Federal courtroom, strongly criticised the Labour "would aid the Northern in- Government and said there is no

It urged all branches of the party to contest as many seats as possible in the 1949 inunicipal elections and to prepare for the Communist Party. He attended Parliamentary elections in 1950. The conference yesterday reversed a decision taken at its 1948 conference not to contest the elections.-Reuter.

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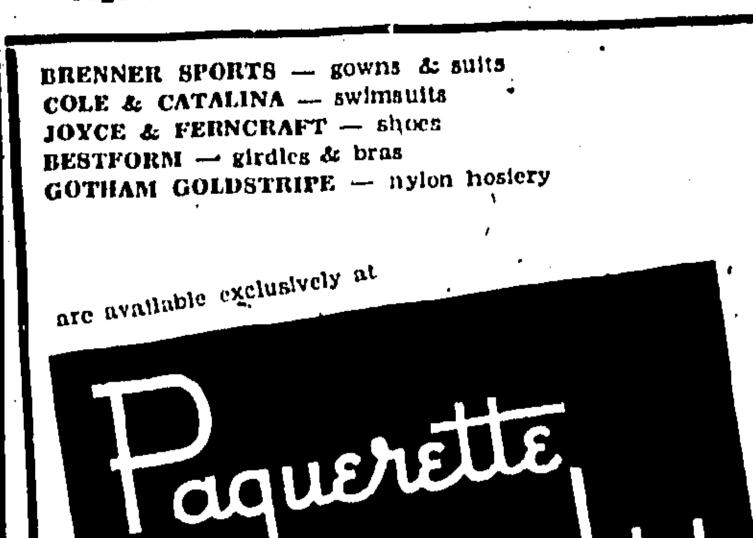
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3. If the children get out of hand do you (a) bully them, say "I'll tell daddy," or do you (b) rely on your own authority? Do you (a) praise other children's looks or manners in front of your own children, or do you (b) despise such methods? 5. Can you say (a) "this is the last sweet" (or bedtime story, or game) and mean it, or do you (b) let yourself be persuaded

"Just one more"? 6. Do you (a) give in to your children in public for fear of a scene or do you (b) remain finn? 7. Do you (a) repeat their amusing remarks in front of them or do you (b) remember that

"little pitchers have long ears"? children are sensitive?

9. If they are afraid of the dark do you (a) give them a cowardly? 10. Do you (a) force them to

swim, ride or do something that frightens them, or (b) leave them alone and trust they will gain confidence? 11. Do you (a) ever find yourselves bickering in front of the

children, or do you (b) keep up a happy front? 12. Do you see (a) that they clean their own shoes and help with the washing-up or do you (b) make yourself a slave to

13. Do you (n) economise and send them to school in obviously cut-down clothes, or do you (b) remember how you felt about that sort of thing yourself?

14. Do you (a) find yourself favouring one particular child or are you (b) always strictly im-

in your pocket?

5--(a) yes (5); 6-(b) yes (5); big toe and ending above the women. 7--(b) yes (5): 8--(b) yes (5); ankle. 9-(a) yes (5); 10-(b) yes (5); 11-(b) yes (5); 12-(n) yes (5); 15 = -(a) yes (5).

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# Aprons And Capes "Child For Day And Evening Bows And



One of the most interesting summer fashions in the shops--and a money-save—is the apron overskirt that is convertible into | mings, there is a new, gay 1921-ish a cape, and vice versa. Apartfrom its usefulness, this idea look about everywhere. brings an attractive variety, into dressing without launching out

into an expensive wardrobe. Sketches above show this theme for day and evening. Style 8. Do you (a) repeat in public on left was originally designed by Rosalinde Gilbert as a bridessilly mistakes they make, or do | maid's dress in champagne net, the cape or apron being tled | kicking out from the knee with you (b) remember that small with black velvet ribbon. Second sketch shows a charming dance

dress, with the cape worn as an apron. Printed French cotton is used by Linzi for a convertible summer dress. It can be bought in several colours. Dress chosen for night light in the bedroom or do the sketch was in turquoise, with a black leaf print, Apart from you (b) tease them for being its conversion into summer ensemble for town (right), the cape is extremely practical for the beach over a sun suit,

# From Ankles Down: "Flats" In America

By Kay Murray

New York. When people talk of "Flats" on this side of the water, the chances are they are referring to shoes, not automobiles. Flats can be as flat as a pancake or the height of a medium-high wedge.

But a great many fashion houses

are departing from tradition and

are showing tone with tone-grey

Ostrich Skin

"Surah silk" pumps are being l

It seems as if there has never

been a spring when accessories

put out by one or two famous

favourities for the summer.

In every case they are as about as diverse as casual shoes have ever been.

They run to straps, from a back, and is very shallow at the children the value of money or do you (b) always put your hand across the instep, where you ever. might reasonably expect a strap | This applies to the more basic to be, to a whole family of tones of black, navy and brown, 1—(a) yes (5); 2—(a) yes (5); straps, five or even six, starting which will probably always remain, such useful and springlike shades 3...(b) 'yes (5); 4-(b) yes (5); approtimately just over your top favourite with well-dressed as navy-blue with white spots.

Functionality is, however, the Score-60 or over-nearly the The straps may twist round your usually more ornate. perfect parent, 40 (to 60-not so ankle, like the traditional ballet bad. 30 to 40-could be better, shoe, or criss-cross in the manner of the antique buskin.

tween gold and tan, is conspicuous, such as ostrich or goats skin, and conturiers are loving this new clotted cream to a really bright bow. yellow is to be seen, not only in casuals but also for formal wear with greys and tawny shades, of which a lot has been shown for fashion houses, and linen, straw the spring.

# Should Think Twice

Lovely ladies with long limbs were so carefully teamed with ending in long, even though shape- prevailing fashions, and even y feel, should think twice before your budget won't allow you to adopting the idea.

There is however a school of thought which maintains that a size eight shoe in a dark shade looks more conspicuous at the end of an approximately nucle-coloured stockinged leg than one which carries the eye down without a break. So you long-legged Diamas who want to go gay with, your shudals can be comforted.

Shoes for formal occasions are by elegant "shell" one, so in keeping with the present nestalgic fashions. This has closed toe and

ed. The most general line is the lunch-box straw handbag for your to the saucepan and stir over grey flannel perennial? from the opposite hip pocket.

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By Elaine Berkeley

Spring fashion-showings in London last week established buttons and bows in the spring. Inshion story. Buttons and bows are on every-

As many as 28 buttons are seen on one suit. There are buttoneddown shirts with suits, buttonedon yokes to blouses, ornamental groups of buttons on belts and necklines. Buttons in mother-ofpearl, tortoise-shell, and smoked pearl that are eye-catching. Bows are noft and casual, and

They tuck beneath pointed col-Fashion moves too slowly in London for the line to have

tie high up under the chin.

changed radically. This season's models are a consolidation of all we've seen and liked, but materials are new and, with the button and bow trim-

The 1921 Look

The cardigan suit buttoning down the front, with tight skirt pleats, the wool skirt and tustore silk yoked blouse with loose-pleated incket, the whole invishly trimmed with mother-of-pearl buttons, the fringed afternoon dress with fringe spiralling around a sleek jersey frock and long shoulder-scari draping round neck and floating backward, are all reminiscent of the era of "bright young things." One particularly pretty frock from Helen Geffers was a grey, fine jersey with bands of narrow

at the hom and awcoping upwards I front to the waistline. The same narrow fringe suggested a bolero in outline.

looped fringe forming a deep band

At this collection, fancy pleating van one of the many novelties. There was sugarbag pleating in a series of fluted panels down one side of a brown tube frock. Each fluted panel was edged with yellow and white cotton.

Smash hits of the collections so far have been the nylon dresses. No, don't shudder and think of parachutes, but rather of fine gossamer material like silk organ-

die that never crushes and need never be ironed. This new nylon, with plastic spots and flower motifs, comes in

# Uncrushable

One 40-yards-around-the-hom made the trans-Atlantic crossing 13-(b) yes (5); 14-(b) yes (5); least conspicuous characteristic of shoes with a grey suit, beige with twice without the feel of an iron. these giddy pieces of footwear. beige, and so on, and these are The wearer-Mrs. Joseph Seidler, wife of a textile magnate—stepping off the plane in New York and right into the biggest congress ever held of suit and cloak men. The bamboo motif has brought | Materials for these lighter-toned | New, too, is the needlerun mylon out a crop of levely shades. Bam- models include some which have which washes and needs no ironboo itself, a wonderful cross be- not been seen for many years, ing. You can imagine how the

but everything from a colour like some which are making their first material for their ever, so full and frilly skirts. Some spring hats are made of

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small lin apricots, 1 pkt apricot jelly crystals 11/2 gills splurge on a complete new outfit, milk, 1 dessertspoonful sugar, you can wear your necessories with 11/2 tablespoons cornflour, vanitsuch an air that everyone will be ia.

Drain the apricots and add sufficient water to the syrup to It is a certainty that such firms make 34 of a pint of liquid. na I. Miller and others who have Place in the saucepan, bring to always cultivated the English the boil and use this liquid to market will come up with some make-the apricot jelly. Allow models that will make you rub to cool. Blend the cornflour with your ration-weary eyes. So if a little of the milk. place the that navy sult looks a little tired, remainder of the milk and sugar how about a bomboo cocktail with [into a saucepan and bring to the matching calf shoes and bag? Or boil. Pour on to the blended contrast very simple and restrain- biscult-coloured straw pumps and cornflour, stirring well. Return the fire for three minutes. Al-And, just in passing, one of the low to cool slightly, flavor with quickest ways of giving your vanilla. Pour into wetted mould tailor-made a lift is to pin a big and stand in a dish of cold flower on your lapel and trail a water until set. Pour the cooled big matching silk handkerchief jelly on top of the set blanc mange. Chill. Turn out and It's truth-straight from Fifth surround with the pieces, of

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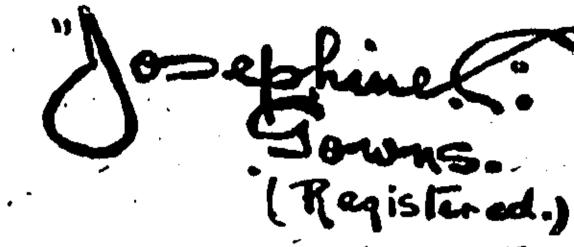
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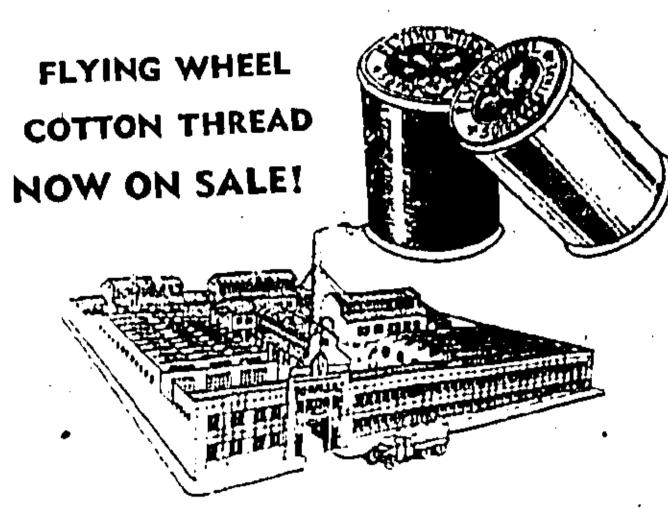
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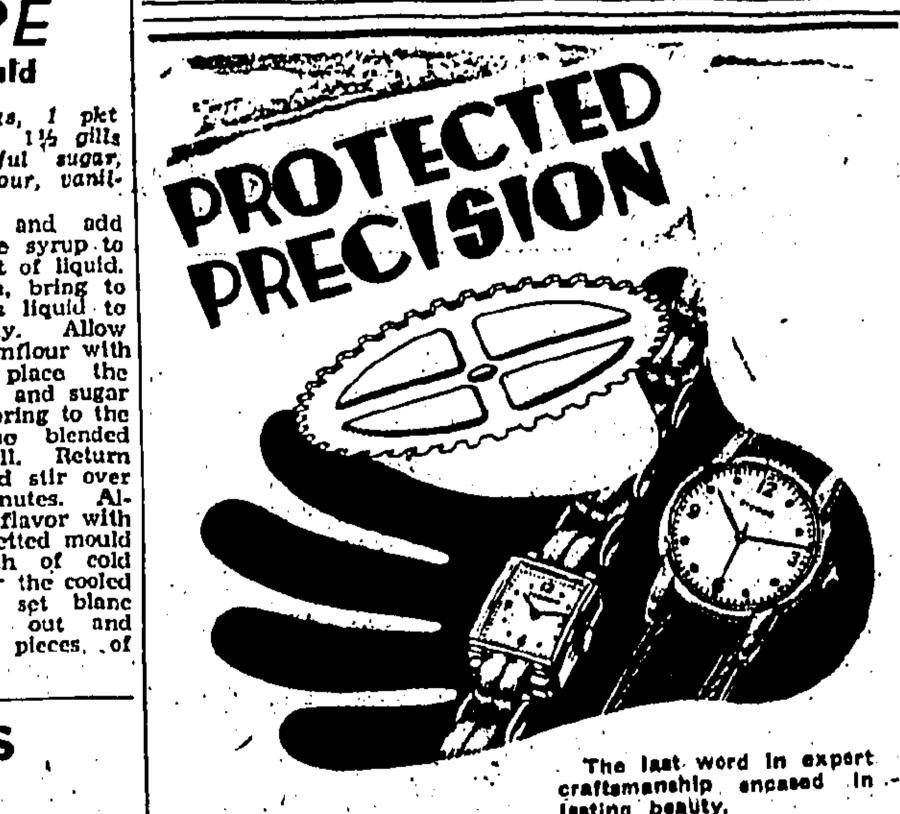
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# India is the focus of mounting public interests here English, Irish Told

Dublin, April 19. President Sean T. O'Kelly of the new Republic of Ireland The importance attached to the outcome of the told his countrymen yesterday to stop speaking English and restore the ancient Gaelic

President O'Kelly said the winning of the Republic will be an empty victory if the Irish lose their tongue.

Posters appeared on Dublin's estreets calling for a boycott of English newspapers, "The King is gone, now cut the language tie Affairs, who arrived here by air with Britain," the poster said. They were printed in English.

The Republic of Ireland new stands alone as a nation, Mr. John Costello, Prime Minister of Lire, declared.

"We have no alliances, entang- | national aspirations. lements or ties with any country in the world, but are to be reckoned with now as an indepen-State, however small we

Mr. Costello continued: "Until partition goes, we cannot give the full contribution we could give in economic and military co-operatlon in the defence of peace."

Mr. Costello said the Eire closely studying the occasional restriction in the Indian Indepen-Government will be prepared and extremely guarded statements | dence Act, and there is an express to allow the people of Northern made by the Commonwealth provision that, in the case of each Ireland to retain their present leaders on the conference, have of the new Dominions, the power powers of government, provid- tried to read between the lines, of the Legislature of the Dominion ed that the powers of defence But speculation is regarded as shall, for the purpose of making and foreign affairs are in the premature, and it has received provision for the Constitution, be an All. Irgland neither encouragement nor sup- exercisable by the Constituent port from any responsible quar- Assembly of that Dominion, Government

"Although we have severed the ti**es th**at bound us to Great Britain and the other members of the Commonwealth," he added, "we believe that what has been done today will ensure a more cordial and closer co-operation, greater and more real friendship between Ireland, Great Britain and the other Commonwealth countries than could ever have existed under the former conditions." - Associated Press and

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# Standpoint At Talks

London, April 18.

dla and the other Common.

wealth members to so arrange

matters as to accept a common

loyalty and mutual respon-

sibilities so that they can re-

main solidly and unitedly to-

The Statute Of

Westminster

It is believed in London that

the Statute of Westminster and

the decisions of the Imperial

Conference may afford ample

scope for evolving a formula to

suit India's requirements. Even

at present, it is argued in poli-

The Statute contained a limita-

tion on the power of the Dominion

Parliaments in Canada and Aus-

is accompanied by a declaration

that His Majesty's Government]

has no responsibility concerning

the Governments of the new

Dominions after August 15, 1947.

minster.—-Reuter,

There was no corresponding de-

Weather

In Berlin, the sudden heat

Paris enjoyed the warmest

Easter most people can remem-

ber, with French holiday-makers

again basking in sunshine today.

their sweltering capital,

Less lucky were the trans-

tonight as Britain awaits the arrival of the

Commonwealth Prime Ministers for an historic

conference which, within a week, may vitally

change the concept of Commonwealth re-

open their talks on Thursday, is to seek the

means that may enable India, after she be-

comes a democratic Republic, to continue her

talks is reflected in the decision of almost all

the leading Commonwealth Prime Ministers to

There has been ample evidence tical circles, the new Dominions

from Commonwealth countries in have been placed in a better posi-

recent months of a general desire | tion than the Dominions received

for some arrangement that will under the Statute of Westminster.

The task of the Commonwealth statesmen, who will

co-operation with their countries.

attend the conference in person.

The one notable absentee-- |

Mr. Louis St. Laurent, Prime

Minister of Canada—may Join

the talks later. Canada will

be represented at the start of

the conference by Mr. Lester

Pearson, Minister of External

The situation has no exact pre-

cedent, and therefore no ready-

made plan to meet it exists. But

it is generally recognised that a

solution acceptable to India will

have to be consistent with her

enable India to continue her im-

portant part in (Commonwealth)

allairs. This spirit is expected to

be reflected in the conference.

Envoys' Reports

There is widespread desire in

all Commonwealth quarters

here that the work of the con-

ference should not be em

barrassed by attempts to anti-

cipate the lines of its develop-

Officials here have been working

all through the Easter holidays.

preparing for the conference and

the reception of the visiting states-

men. The Prime Minister, Mr.

Clement Attlee, who has been at

his country residence, Chequers,

week-end, returned to London to-

He devoted much of the holiday

day to supervise the final arrange-

to a study of the reports furnished

him by Britain's special envoys

after their recent flying visits to

the Commonwealth capitals for

personal talks with the Prime

The Commonwealth leaders will

months after their 'last London |

Common Loyalty

garden of Mr. Attice's official re-

ther a new chapter in Common-

questions arising.out of develop-

wealth. My brief goes no further

Mr. Joseph B. Chiffey and Mr.

Peter Fraser, Prime Ministers of

Australia and New Zealand,

respectively, arrived at Karachi

tonight on their way to the con-

Mr. Chifley declined to dis-

cuss the conference. Mr. Fraser sald it will be possible for in-

This long, many-windowed

assemble on Thursday - six week-end heat wave.

observers now await to see whe- ing her crossing.

cussing certain constitutional degrees Centigrade.

meeting-round the great table of spell brought out Berlin's famous

room gives direct access to the Atlantic passengers on the liner

have been taken in this room, and of continuous rain and fog dur-

wealth association will be opened about 1,000,000 Parisians left

Mr. Lester Pearson said in Lon- warmest place in France. To-

the Cabinet Room at No. 10, Linden trees almost overnight.

Ministers there.

Downing Street.

within its walls,

than that."

Buckinghamshire, for the

New Delhi, April 18. The Indian Prime Minister, Pandit Nehru, leaves here by air for London tomorrow to attend the Commonwealth Prime Ministers' conference, opening on April 21.

Informed quarters here bellove that India's standpoint at this crucial conference will be something on the following lines: first, the Commonwealth being a flexible organisation, it should not be a constitutional impossibility for India, as an Independent republic to continue to assoclate herself with the Commonwealth.

Secondly, under that new basis the term "Dominion"

should, be dropped. Thirdly, India will not accept the suzoralnty of the King, but might recognise a apecial status for the King in

the Commonwealth. Fourthly, that India will respect decisions on Common. wealth.

Fourthly, that India will respect decisions on Commonwealth matters, as such, without prejudice to India's internal and external severeignty.—Reuter.

# Outbreak In Berlin

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Berlin, April 18. Fastern Sector German police fired on riotous demonstrators ( today in a growd of 30,000 train to amend their Constitu-I people watching eyele races at Newspaper commentators here, tions. There is no corresponding the Berlin Stadium, the German news agency, DENA, re-

> The agency said a police car had to face the resistance of an angry crowd to get away after the

Several pistol shots were fired, the report added, when the police The conferment of these powers | had trouble in taking a man into custody. Spectators were beaten up, box offices overturned, and mob tumult, fighting and shooting followed, the agency said,

It stated that the trouble, which lasted three hours, began with claration in the Statute of West- | demonstration against the organisers of the races.—Reuter.

Continues

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and woods. The record Easter

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and sunglasses again

two or three days.

the and several houses collapsed.

for extra trams.

Phenomenal Easter

The phenomenal Easter holiday weather held out

before tomorrow's "back to work."

for holiday-makers in Southern England, who

crowded beaches and parks for a final sunbath

People in the North were not ing to cope with record de-

so fortunate, with heavy rains mands for iced beer from thou-

and cloudy skies breaking the sands of lightly-clad tourists.

# The Indian

London, April 18. The "Daily Telegraph" (Conservative), raising the question of how Eirean citizens wishing to remain British subjects will be affected by the establishment of the Republic, speculates on possible repercussions in new Dominions such as India, Pakistan and Ceylon.

The paper thinks it legally doubtful if the machinery introduced under last year's British Nationality Act, whereby certain Eire citizens could apply to remain British subjects, would hold good now.

It will not apply to applicants, "who are citizens not of a Dominion which acknowledged the people here and in the older Crown for some purposes, but of Dominions, and in such new Doa Republic denying all allegiance minions as Pakistan and Ceylon.

to the Crown." Predicting that further legisla- wealth or out of it; there is no tion might be required, the "Tele- middle course. graph" added in a leading article: elections or to stand as can- graph" concludes,-Reuter.

didates "Is it in fact practical for citizens of a Republic to have the privileges of belonging to the Commonwealth, of which the one constitutional link is the Crown? "Mr. Nehru, it is known, wishes

to reject the Crown, but retain the Commonwealth. "80, it is believed, does Dr. Daniel Malan. On the other hand, General Smuts voiced the view a few days ago that an independent republic not under the Crown violates overy

# Self-Rule For Malaya Resolution

Kuala Lumpur, April 18. Malaya is to ask the British | war Government to help Malaya to achieve democratic self-govern-

the Colonies, Mr. Arthur Creech such as Mindszenty and Signor tance to this end.

A resolution passed at the an- leow Radio. nual conference of the Congress, held over Easter, said: "We want purporting to be Communists. Britain to end her colonial rule They have acquired such agents of Malaya and assume the res- in the person of Tito and his ponsibilities of trusteeship." It clique."

tain the seeds of democratic people's democracies. growth. It said the delegates bewealth.--Reuter.

concept of the Commonwealth. "That is the view held by most You are either in the Common-

"General Smuts' words go to "The status of such persons has the heart of the discussion, in obvious relevance to their claims which the Commonwealth statesto serve the Crown in any civil men are about to go into conor military capacity, to vote at ference in London," the "Tele-

# Communist Attack

Moscow Radio today quoted the official Cominform weekly Journal in Bucharest as saying that Marshal 'Josip Tito, the Yugoslav Premier, "a camouflaged participant of the Atlantic Pact," and his "clique" are performing "a special task in the plans of the imperialists The Indian Congress Party in for the preparation of a new

"American imperialists have right wing Socialist agents, such as Mr. Bevin (British Foreign ment within a reasonably short | Secretary) and M. Leon Blum (French Socialist leader), kulak The request, which is to be agents such as Mikolajezik and sent to the Secretary of State for Ference Nagy, Catholic agents Jones, asks Britain for political, de Gasperi, and Fascist agents economic and educational assist such as General de Gaulle," the article said, according to Mos-

added: "This might entail small After asserting that "Tito's sacrifices on the part of Britain, propaganda against the Soviet but these would be a cheap price Union and the people's demofor the long-term advantages cracies has intensified of late, the that would accrue from a Malaya | journal added: "Anxious to help that is friendly and grateful to the Imperialists. Tito declares that the danger of Yugoslavia The resolution asserted that being colonised does not come Malaya's Federal Constitution is from American imperialists but

# On Tito London, April 18.

"But they also need agents

not democratic and does not con- from the Soviet Union and the

"This calumny is also aimed lieve the proposed programme at diverting the attention of will considerably strengthen the Yugoslav workers from the treaconfidence of the Malayan people cherous policy of the Yugoslav in the British Government and Communist Party's leadership, a enable Malaya to be a great as- policy which is turning Yugoset to Britain and the Common- slavia into a slave of Wall Street."—Reuter.



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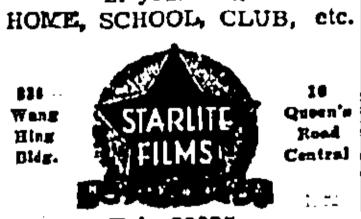
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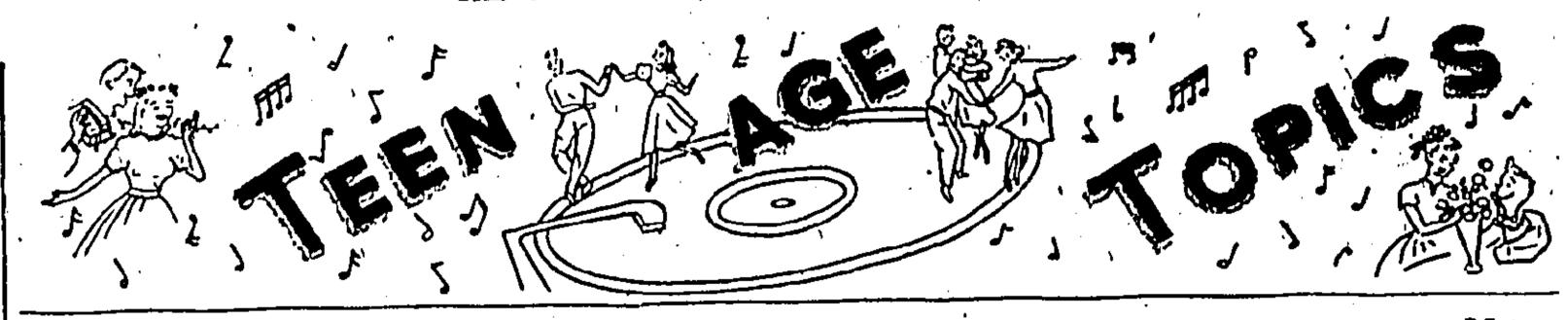
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talkative or dumb. At parties, the initiative is generally left to the boys. That is the way of society-good society, that is.

In other words, the boy makes such as asking the girl to dance, helping her to refreshments, and also acquainting her with friends Latest variety of ready-made of his she has never met before. All this goes to make up the fun in parties, not just dancing

yourself silly, and shouting yourself hourse. Many a time It happens-and it really has that a group of girls are left in one corner of cause the girl is not your ideal. Baker's classes. she can't do such and such, or

"just isn't my type." That is the height of bad man-(White Anta Extermination Dept.) in a party room without any to make anyone feel awkward, let alone a girl.

ever it may be) is justifiable, it there are quite a number, are chen, Strip the Willow, St. Berseldom is in cases like this, but also extremely keen, if perhaps nard's Waltz, and Petronella. let's suppose.

Could it spoil your whole evening by your just having one dance with her, or two or three you to play martry for the duration of the party, but if each boy would take his turn at being a little more polite, the party can be even a greater success behe or she has enjoyed it,

The "simple" ones to whom and polishing up. you are asked to be nice are, as be in the wrong party.

# Teen Agers To Perform Personality Reels At The "Y"

section of the local teen age community will turn completely Scottish on Saturday at the European YMCA, when they will gather-with their elders—for the Annual YMCA Highland Evening.

the necessary approaches. The occasion is to end the season of the YMCA Reel Club conducted each Friday by Mrs. N. Hart-Baker.

> ensure an evening of fun, with also entertaining for those who ever," she says, "I will certainly bagpipes and Highland Fling prefer to watch. galore.

part on Saturday night are Brid-Of particular interest is the get Armstrong, Shauna Anderexceeding large number of teen son. Luba Skvorzov, Rosemary the room to brew their own agers-not necessarily Scottish -- Swabey, Pat Wickerson, Yvette gossip. The reason?-Usually be- who take part, in Mrs. Hart. Whitfield, Gordon Blenkinsop, and Minko Witklemb. Two very keen teen age reel

dancers, for instance, are two young Dutch girls whose regular the evening includes: Highland feel awkward, being left alone attendance and diligent practice Scottish (one doesn't pronounce) have made them some of the it that way though), Scottish Remale attention. And it is rude very best among the teen age form, Dashing White Sergeant, group, better even, in some cases, Circussian Circles and Waltz, than the true Scotch lassies. The teen age boys, of whom Reels, Eights and Reels, Hulla-

wanting a little bit in style, They all, nevertheless form to room dancing in between. Dress make a happy picture. And if Is optional, they should err here and there. minutes' chat? No one is asking on timing and the steps, it all contributes to the informal atmosphere that attends each of

these Friday meetings with Mrs. Hart-Baker. All through this week, teen didn't turn out to be very popular cause everyone can honestly say agers are meeting in Mrs. Hart either. There were some very Baker's home for final practice good entries though.

With April 23 drawing nearer, you know only a few. If the the teen agers have shown mark- Lawrence Wong, (\$6), of number is bigger, then you must ed improvement and should make Wyndham Street, Hong Kong. Saturday evening at the YMCA, Armando Rozario of 5 Belfran

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# Teen ager of the week is 16year-old Mercia da Silva, a girl-

guide belonging to the 5th Kowsecond of the Robin Patrol. ber 18. She was born in Hong

Convent School. When the war came, Mercia in Santa Rosa da Lima Convent, returning to St. Mary's in Hong Kong in 1945. She is now in her

Plans are already in hand to just only fun for themselves, but mind about an ambition. "How-



MERCIA da BILVA

not be a stenographer. I cannot think of anything more uninter-

After pondering for a while, Mercia said that she may like to be a school teacher, or perhaps a nurse.

Her favourite sport is softball. First prize this week goes to Mercia plays for the "Squaws" and roots for the "Braves," naturally. Her other sporting interests are swimming and bad-Road, Kowloon, won the \$4 prize.

Let's give the competition a rest this week until some bright But jazz is her chief interest. ideas turn up. Meanwhile you can all concentrate on the "Plat-

#### NAME, ADDRESS and AGE. As there is reason to believe that "Platter Chatter" is also read by many who have long passed their teens, this prize will be awarded to the "China Mail" reader of any age wishing to take part in the contest.

decision will be final.

day on April 16.

had a swirling flare.

was served buffet style.

It ended after midnight.

scription.

The party began at approxi-

mately six o'clock in the evening

and the fun, 15 minutes later-

after the guests have arrived.

birthday cake with 17 candles

round the border shaped in a

heart, with the appropriate in-

with one try. Don't ask me what

Everybody had a grand time

her wish was; she wouldn't tell.

with waltzes (only two) live of

all descriptions (20), rhumbas,

sambas and other dances.

Wanda blew off all the candles

Wanda had a deliclously big

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Wanda R.

Platter Chatter Poll

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**Favourites** loon Troop, of which she is Male Singer: ...... Mercia's birthday is on Octo- Female Singer: .....

Kong and attended Maryknoll Hot Band: ..... went to Macao where she studied | Boloist (Instrumental) .......

school leaving year. Mercia cannot yet make up her



esting."

Mercia plays the piano, pre- countries. She is at the moment, ferring light classical pieces, writing to more than 10 persons Mercia's main hobby is corres- world. Her other hobby is colponding with pen friends in other lecting trinkets and curios.

Ideal Programme

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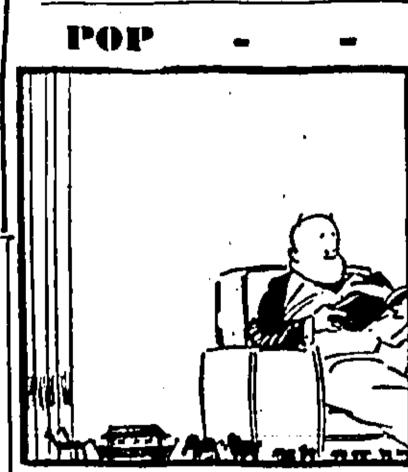
"Owlie, darling! I was just thinking about you!"

### LEWIS DOUGLAS BETTER

London, April 18.

Mr. Lewis Douglas, United States Ambassador to Britain, who recently injured his left eye in a fishing accident, was examined this afternoon by his doctors, who found a slight improvement.

Mr. Douglas is resting at his London home, and is in good distributed over all parts of the spirits. The doctors will see him legain tomorrow afternoon. ---Reuter.



ter Chatter Poll" contest.

Among the teen agers taking

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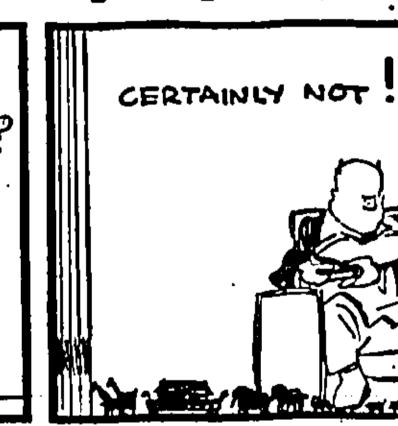
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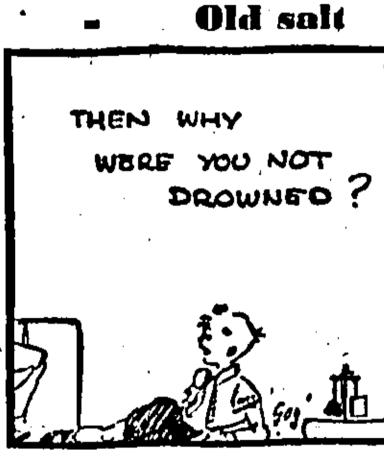
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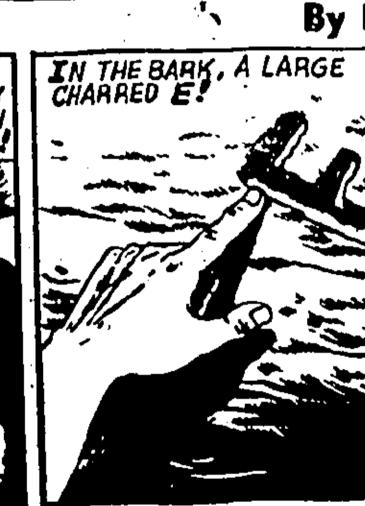






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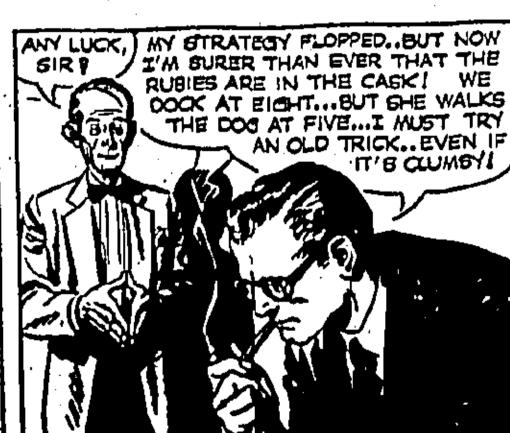
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they edged out 12 1



Dr. J. Calvert Clark (second from left), of the China . Children's Fund Inc., arrived recently by plane from Manila for a short visit. He was met at the airport by the Rev. E. W. Raetz, China Director of the organisation. ("China Mail" photo)



The England soccer team, which lost to China by five tional Charity Cup final encounter at Sockunpoo.



Mr. Harold Victor Pearse, senior revenue inspector, was recently feted at a cocktail party by his colleagues on the eve of his and Mrs. Pearse's departure from the

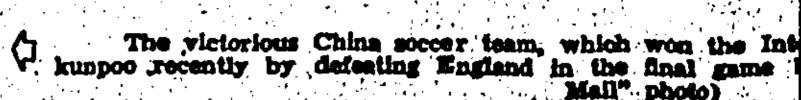


Mr. Allen Ladd of the editorial staff of "Magazine Digest" and "UN World," passed through the Colony recently on a whirlwind six-day world tour. He is shown here at Kai Tak airfield. ("China Mail" photo)

Colony after 27 years of service. ("China Mail" photo)



The Colony's new bedminton, doubles champions R (right) line up with their trophies after they defeated H. J. I Senior Men's Doubles final. ("China Mail







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ional Charity Cup at Soove goals to two. ("China



The Shell softball team, which recently defeated Caltex by 14 runs to 4 in an inter-hong softball encounter. ("Ming Yuen" photo)



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The Hong Kong Musicians, who lost to American President Lines by one run in an inter-hong softball encounter. The APL squad triumphed by 12 to 11. ("Ming Yuen" photo)

The Gibb, Livingston softballers after they beat Socony by 13 runs to 9 in an inter-hong softball game. ("Ming Yuen" p h o t o )

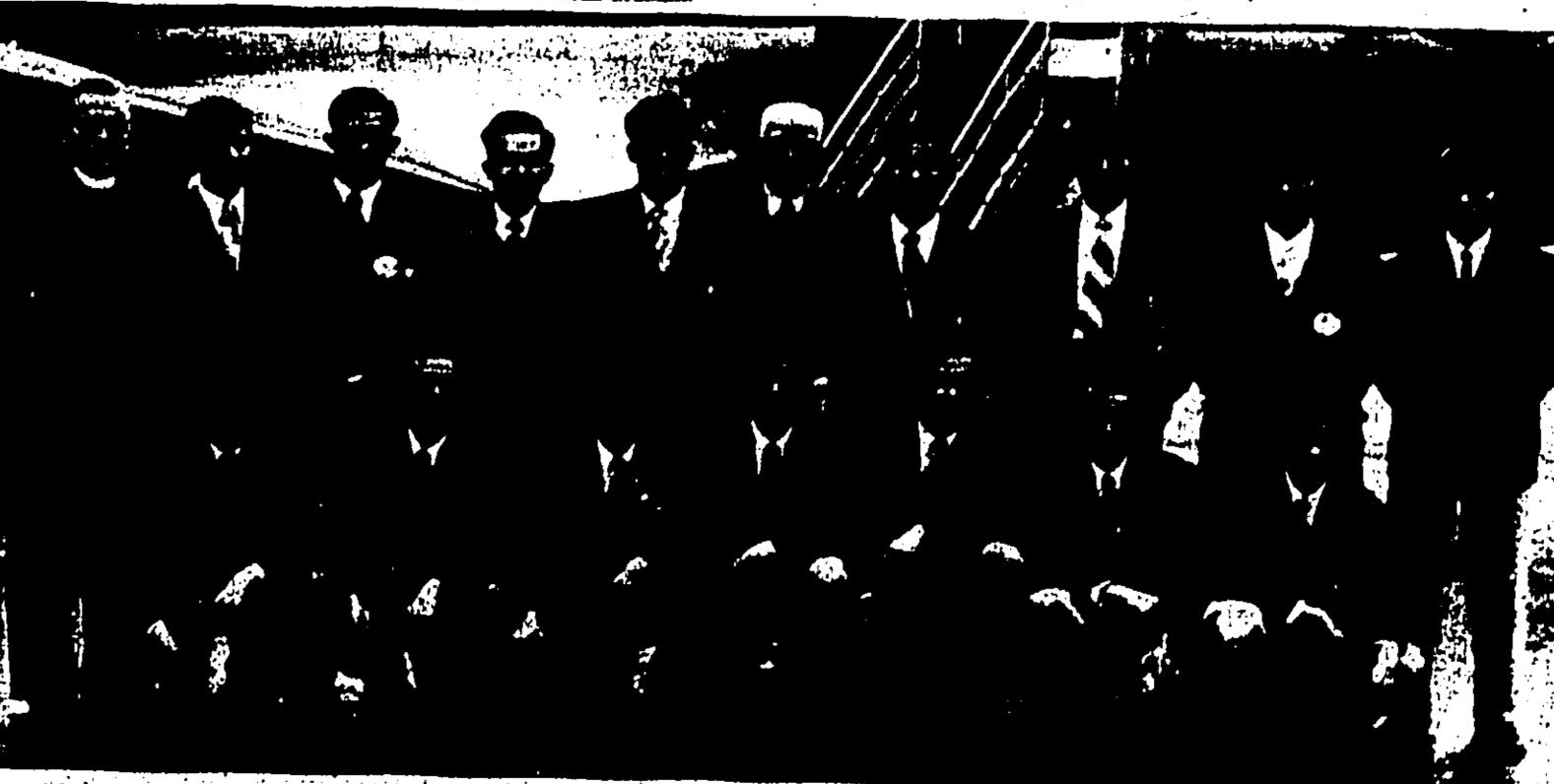


A happy group at Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson's recent party at the Rotary Club Ball, held at the Hong Kong Hotel.

("China Mail" photo)

Softballers of Caltex Oil pose for the photographer and manage to look cheerful after their recent defeat at the bats of their rivals, Shell, in an inter-hong softball game.

("Ming Yuen" photo)



The Combined Christian Brothers Schools soccer team, shown before their departure for Manile. The team has since them won all three games played in the Philippines capital. ("China Mail" photo)

The Chinese YMCA recently held a dinner to mark the annual membership canvassing campaign. The picture shows Mr. J. C. MacDouall social welfare officer, addressing the gathering at the Hong Kong Hotel. The Rev. Lee Kow-yan is acting as interpreter. ("China Mail" photo)

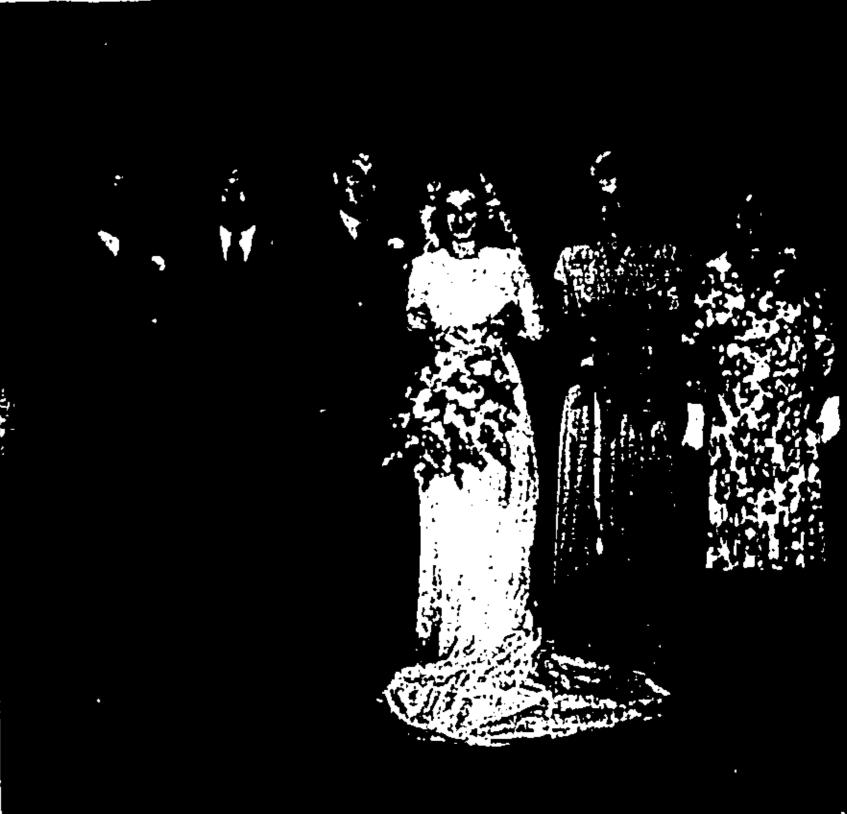
Guests who attended the reception after the wedding of Mr. T. B. Frickel to Miss M. R. Monro at the Hong Kong Hotel. ("China Mail" photo)



The Ling Fung Athletic Association, which broadcast its first musical programme over Rediffusion recently. ("Sun Kwong"



The Army Singapore XI, which arrived here recently for a series of games. They were officially welcomed at a cocktail party given by the Hong Kong Football Association at the Hong Kong Hotel. ("China Mail" photo)



Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Frickel after their wedding at St. Joseph's Church. The bride is the former Miss M. R. Monro. ("Ming Yuen" photo)

farewell party in honour of RSM. Shepard which was given by the Warrant Officers, and Sergeants of the 25th Field Regiment, RA. RSM Shepard saw action with the Regiment in Burma and is also the oldest member of the Regiment. ("C h i n a Mail" photo)



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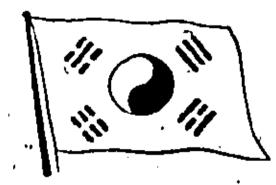
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claim for ramming his tow boat and wounding two personnel has been made by the boat's owner against the ms. Kwong Fook Cheung, victim of an abortive piracy last Saturday night in the West River as she was en route to Hong Kong.

"We will present our counter claim to the Kongmoon authorities within two days and a hearing will probably be held by this week-end there," an official of the Ming Sang Steamship Company, owner of the British river motorship, stated yesterday.

# PROFITS FOR SHIPPING FIRM

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> CIE DES MESSAGERIES. MARITIMES.

Hong Kong, April 18, 1949.

The tow boat owner is reported to be claiming that he junks to anchor near Wang Shing Kwong, 13 miles from the Chinese Maritimo Customs Pak Kai Station, the scene of the attack.

It was alleged that the Kwong Fook Cheung rammed the two boats in an effort to escape gun-The net profit for the year ended fire from the hills and that bullets December 31, amounted to from the ship wounded a guard

The British ship was machinegunned from the Wang Shing vious day, Kwong hill and from junks, Jardine, Matheson and Com- which formed a barricade across Post Office half an hour earlier than the Wong Pang, who were respectivepany, Limited, general managers the channel. She rammed the GPO doding times. | barrier at top speed, as reported | by the master.

Mr. Lau Chung-chan, popular Canton and Hankow, (Rowloon CPO) tocal sportsman, was killed in his cabin, while Mrs. Ivy K. Morris, one of the lonly three Europeau passengers among the 400 travel-£ 10,000 ling to Hong Kong, was seriously injured as she was taking shelter 10,000 in the first-class passage with her husband, Mr. W. J. Morris, and a 70,000 lady friend.

### Trips As Usual

The Kwong Fook Cheurig is continuing her normal schedules, leaving here at 8 p.m. and departing from Kongmoon on the fol- gwatew, 2 p.m. lowing evening. She left the West River port on Monday night an hour earlier, however, Shrapnel blankets were utilised as a precaution when the ship passed through the channel. No sign of wreckinge pieces could be seen, an officer said.

~ "We may double the guards on board," the official declared. The ship has eight guards and her auromenis consist of revolvers. military rifles and machine guns. In the meantime, reports of the Incident have been submitted to

the local authorities.

The Ming Sang Steamship Company reiterated yesterday that no threatening letters had been sent either to Kongmoon or here. The Kwong Fook Cheung, which has been flying the British flag for nearly 10 years, is the only British vessel on this run.

# OFFICIAL NOTICE

PROPOSAL TO CHANGE A SHIP'S NAME ,

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Counsel, who appeared for the | HK\$35,000. was forced by pirates in small employer. The appellant, he had apparently \$2,000 to \$3,000 said, intercepted them and on himself and had used the

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# REFUSED BY JUDGE

were refused by the Chief Justire, Sir Leslie The first appellant, Kwan Pak-pui, alias Kwan Tse-

to one year's hard labour on March 14 for fraud and embezziement of U.S.\$6,970, told the court that the offence was cor, mitted on the spur of the moment. Kwan asked for a

Mr. M. Heenan, Crown Post Office Crown, told the Court that the | Crown Counsel went on to say offence involved a total of six that when the appellant was artravelling cheques sent from rested, a total of \$21,000 was the United States to Kwan's found in his possession. Kwan

cashed them at the General deposit for the purchase of a cafe, Mr. Heenen further stated that appallant however gave every assistance to the police after this arrest, and that the great part of the money which he misap-

propriated had been recovered. In refusing the appeal, Sir Leslie Gibson told the appellant Articles and Parcel Posts close 30 minutes he would probably have given him more than the Magistrate

The next appeal made yester-Mails are closed at Kowhon Central day was by Chan Sang-tung, and ly sentenced to 34 months and two years on February 15 for conspiracy to rob and possession

The two men denied the offences. The second appellant told the court that a newspaper Irlend and that they did not know it contained revolvers until the parcel was opened in the Police

Wong further pleaded that as result of his imprisonment, his wife and family has had to beg for a livelihood. His appeal was refused.

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22nd June

NY RUBBER

New York, April., 19. Crucle rubber standard futures losed quiet with no sales. Crude rubber No. 1 futures closed unchanged to two higher with sales of nine contracts. 18.15 bid 17.90 bld September 17,60... December Spot No. 1 ribbed smoked

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Twenty-six crowmen of the Mr. Agar, who divides his time Norwegian sealer, Polarbjorn, are between his United States and effected. on the way home on another ship English homes, has been on a lecafter their vessel burned and sank ture tour of the United Stateson Saturday off the Labrador in the Middle West, South West

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crew was injured.—United Press. cialised inedicine.—Reuter.

Annecy, France, April 18. Mr. Harold Wilson, President of the British Board of Trade, told a press conference here tonight that Britain feels that she can increase exports to the dollar area without reducing the prices shares. Talk of a Spring rally of her goods.

"Enormous areas of North America have never never been touched by British products, and we are now trying to get in there," he said.

interested," he said.

Great Difficulty

covery, freedom and peace.

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"But we do not want it to be

Mr. Wilson will tomorrow visit

Zurich, Switzerland's chief com-

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shall succeed." Mr. Wilson went

we should not call success."

countries," he said.

our exports to this region is celved have been shown to have much more a question of selling been either ignorant or not disthan one of production prices," he added.

seeing the delegates of 34 countries, including Britain and the United States, who are negotiating tariff reductions here. He told an American ques-

deterioration in the quality of British goods, "There may have been substandard shipments shortly after

the war, but in the last year most

tioner that he has no evidence of

# Italian Approach On Colonies

Washington, April 18. The Italian Foreign Minister, Count Carlo Sforza, made an appointment today with the Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, to renew Italy's request for trusteeship control her former African at any one else's expense. The colonies.

Count Sforza came from New York to talk over this and other problems with Mr. Acheson before leaving for Italy on Wednes-

Diplomatic officials expect him to urge again that the United States should modify its present stand and support Italy's case before the United Nations Assembly which is considering the problem.

Count Sforza is known to be hoping especially that the State Department will favour Italian trusteeship over strategic Tripolitania, instead of assigning that eren to British control.-Reuter.

# WONDER MATCH INVENTION

Prague, April 18. Belgrade Radio today diaimed that a Yugoslav engineer has invented a match that can be ignited 100 times.

It was reported in a broadcast, picked up here, that the match utilises a newly-discovered chemical produced in the experimental laboratory at Zagreb.

The broadcast, quoting official Yugoslav news agency Tanjug, said the wonder match will be put on sale in Yugoslay shops on May I. It is described as about four inches long somewhat thicker than an ordinary match.—United Press.

# Americans Want State Medicine

Southampton, April 18. Mr. Herbert S. Agar, the American author, who arrived here in the Queen Elizabeth tonight, said there is a feeling in the American community that some State medicine is needed in their country.

and Texas.

A cargo of 9,000 scals went the said he was asked thousands Hong Kong, April 18, 1949. down with the vessel. None of the of questions about Britain's so-

New York, April 19. Conflicting price

swirled through the stock market yesterday. But changes were mostly in minor fractions. Losses slightly out-numbered gains. Transfers totalled 90,000 fuded and mention of a Summer rally was heard. Gainers included Richfield Oil, Plymouth Oil, Skelly Oil, Gulf Oil, United Corporntion, Ligett and Myers To-

bacco, 20th Century Fox. Among stumbers were Wool-"The problem of increasing of the criticisms we have reworth, Douglas Aircraft, Pepsicola, Farnsworth Television, Dow Chemical, Santa Fe, Nickel Plate and American Airlines. Mr. Wilson added that Britain Closing quotations:

attaches the greatest importance Adams Express 1854. Alaska Juneau to the American proposal, short- 3%, American Can 92%, American fimely France, spent the week-cuit by to be discussed at the Annecy law 4614, American Telephone 14514. conference, that "most favoured American Tobacco 65%, American Waternation" treatment be extended to works 7%, Assembla Copper 20%, Aviasion Corn. 6%, Boldwin Locomotive 1174 Japan by all the nations repre-Barnadall 4514. Hendly Aviation 3314 Beethlehem Steel 30 14. Boeing Alrerafi 22%, Borden Co. 40, Canadian Pacific 12%, J.1, Case 3134, Chrysler 5134 Colgate 32 %. Commercial Solventa 25 %. "Such a measure would of Corn Products 65%. Do Post 192%. Eastman Kodak 46, Electric Light and course represent great difficulty Power 23%, General Electric 37%, Genfor Britain and for-many other eral Motors 50%, Gondrich 62 %, Goodyens 42%, Homestake Mining 40%, Inter-This is a question on which [national Harvester 24%, International we have recently held many con- Paper 4914, International Tel, and Tel sultations with the Luncashire 10%, John Manville 21%, Kennesott cotton industry and with the silk, Copper 49, Montgomery Ward 53 %, Mawool and rayon industries,? he thous Distillers 18, National Lead 26% New York Central 11%, Packard Motors 3%, Pan-American Airways 10, Pennsyl-Later, at a dinner given in his vania RR 15 %, Ratio Corp. 12 16. Real honour. Mr. Wilson told leaders silk 121, Reminition Rand 8%, Remiblic of the trade delegations that Steel 25%, Reynolds Tobacco 55%, Behan-Britain's last budget showed that by 26%, Sears Roebuck' 38 %, Shell Oli the British people will put up 30, Secony Vacuum 1949, Southern Pacific 41 %, Standard Brands 17 %, with great hardships to win re- Blandard Oil of Calif. 65, Standard Oil of N.J. 7134, Studeboker 1934, Union He added that in Britain ling 26%, Union Carbide 27%, US people want to be told the facts. Rubber 29%, US Steel 72%, US Lines. "We are not concealing from 15%, Westlaghouse 23, Youngstown Sheet them that the last part of the and Tube 66. General Public Utilities road may well be the steepest, I 13% - Associated Press.

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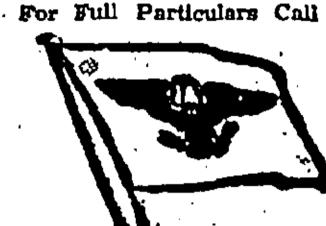
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MAP 18 TJIKAMPEK (RIL). AMERICA

> ATLANTIC COAST 20 FLYING INDEPENDENT (Patthon) for New York via Panama. 19 PRES. JUHNBON (APL) for Boston via Straits.

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Mid. TALIBHAN (Dodwell) via Shanghal, Japan, MIG. BILVER PLANE (RIL).

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ex-Amoy via Swataw: 1.45 p.m.,

D.m.: ex-Canton: 0.40 n.m., 11.10

m.m., 72 noon, 7.30 p.m., 5.50 p.m.,

4.35 p.m., 6.10 p.m.; ex-Halhaw via

Canton's 7 p.m.; ex-Shanghal; 12.45

CPA ex-Singapore via Hangkok : S p m.

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HOAC ex-Singapore: 5.30 p.m.

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CPA for Manila: 3.30 p.m.

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p.m.: Mahila: 3,45 p.m.

QEA for Mantle, Sydney: 2 p.m.

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.a.m., 1 p.m., 3 pm.

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a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.

hal, Tokyo: 10 a.m.

HK ATRWAYS ex-Canton; 9.40 n.n.,

AA ex-New York via London, Islanbul,

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CNAC ex-Amor via Swatow: 1.45 p.m.,

ft pim.; ex-Canton; 0.40 mm, 11.10

s.m., 12 noon, 1,50 p.m., 3,60 p.m.,

4.55 p.m., 6.10 p.m.; ex-Shanghal.

12.45 p.m., 5.55 p.m., 4,25 p.m.; ex-

Trinch via Swatowi 4.25 p.m.; ex-

Thingh via Swatow, Canton; 6,59 p.m.

CATC ex-Talpch via Amoy, Swatow: 628

HE AHWAYS ex-Canton; 9.40 n.m.,

11.40 n.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.46 p.m.; ex-

PAA ex-Manilla: 12.30 p.m.; ex-San

BOAC ex-Shinghal: 4 p.m.; ox Southamp.

ton, Bangkak: 4 p.m., 6.45 p.m.

FRIDAY

CNAC ex-Shanghal: 12.45 p.m., 3,20 p.m.;

CATC ex-Kunmley via Linchiow, Canton;

21,40 p.m., 2,40 p.m., 4,40 p.m.

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TODAY

INAC for Army vin Swatow: 8 n.m.,

12.16 p.m.; Canton; 9.05 n.m., 9.55

m.m., 11,25 m.m., 1,45 p.m., 2,30 p.m.

4.06 p.m., 4.55 p.m.; Hollow via Can-

ton: 9 a.m.; Shanghat: 9 a.m., 12.45

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CATC for Shanghal via Canton, Swatow,

Amoy: 8 a.m.: Canton: 3,15 plm.

PAA for San Francisco via Manila,

Guam, Wake, Honolulus 10 a.m.

BOAC for Shanghai: 10 a.m.; for linng-

TOMORROW

CNAC for Amor via Swatow: 8 a.m.,

12.15 p.m.; Centon; p.05 a.m., 9.55

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4.65 p.m., 4.50 p.m.; Shanghai: 0

m.m., 12,45 p.m.; Talpeh: 9 n.m.;

Tainan via Canton, Swatow: 8.40 a.m.

n.m.; Nanking via Canton, Nan-

chang: 2 a.m.: Amoy: 7 a.m.:

CATC for Taipeh via Swatow: Amoy: A

HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 a.m., 10

TAA for San Francisco via Shanghal,

BRAATHEN for Bangkok, Oslor 7,39 a.m.

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CNAC for Amoy via Uniton: H n.m.

Okinawa Guam, Wake, Midway,

Honolulu: 2 p.m ; Hangkok: 4 p.m.

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4.05 p.m., 4.50 p.m.; Kunming: 0

a.m.: Shanghai: 8 u.m., 12.45 p.m.;

ATC for Kumming: 7 a.m.: Shanghai

CPA for Singapore via Bangkok: 7 a.m.

HK ARWAYS for Canton: 8 n.m., 19

IOAC for Bangkok, Southampton: 8.45

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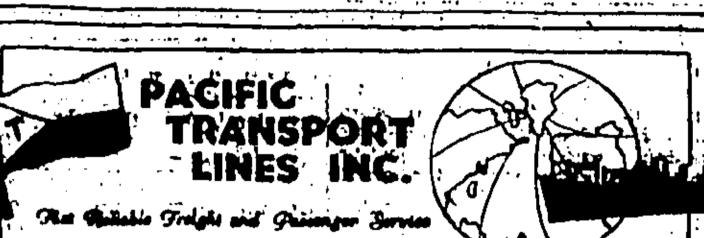
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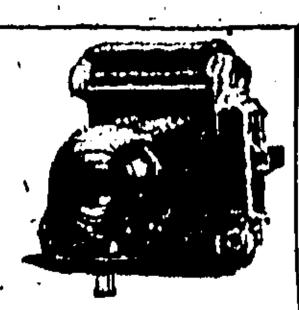
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# Rough Play Seen In Manila Game

Rough house tactics featured the Interport soccer match between Hong Kong and Manila at the latter port on Sunday, April 17.

The game, which resulted in a victory for Hong Kong by five goals to one, almost ended in a free-for-all, only the timely intervention of the Hong Kong Manager, A. J. Hussain, and Manila Coach "Chito" Calvo preventing the outbreak of serious trouble.

The following is an account saved what could have been anof the game as published in other tally for the visitors, but the "Manila Times" of Mon- was unable to get on his feet as day, April 18:

The visiting Hong Kong Interport XI last night trounced a hadly crippled Manila 10-man soccer team 5-1, before approximately 15,000 football tans at the Rizal Memorial Track Footbail

Stadium. Meanwhile, the Manda All-Student Selection broke even with the tast-playing Hong Kong Combined Christian Brothers' Schools aggregation 1-1 in

arcliminary fracus. Eddie Llareas, regular goal- minute of play. His shot hit the keeper of the Manila Interport XI was seriously hurt when he stop- i ped Chu Wing-keung, Hong back. Kong's shifty centre forward, after about 30 minutes of play in

the first half. Llumus was taken out of the local XI, surprised all and sundry field in a stretcher and from with a terrific 25-yard sprint then on the local team had to after picking up a pass from teamplay the rest of the game with mate Jose Esteva The first half only 10 men, as no substitution ended with the score at 2-1 in was allowed under Interport re- | favour of the visitors.

gulations. The visitors were ahead by 1-0 when goalle Unmas was badly injured in his successful attempt to avoid another tally. Full back Marie Hernandez took Llaunas position for the remainder of the

gaine. The Hong Kong-Manila Interport match proved to be a rough and itumble affair when tempers become a little frayed as both sides charged heavily in a series of skirmishes during the datter

part of the game. -Coaches A. J. Hussain and Dimoslo "Chito" Calvo were forced to enter the field in order to avoid a free-for-all. The two mentors told their respective players to behave and the game was resumed without further in-

# Draws First Blood

After the pigskin dashed up | and down the field with equal from the centre half position to Kong Lawn Bowls League, 10 tempo during the first 20 minutes | centre forward late in the game, in the Second Division and six of play, Chu Wing-keung, Hong contributed Hong Kong's fifth goal in the Third Division Kong's centre forward, drew by booting in a nice pass from .first (blood on a short pass from team-mate Andrew Mullen at only team-mate Li Tai-fai, left winger. a few feet from goalie Her-Chu Wing-keung outmanoeuvred madez. the local backline before blasting in the first marker.

Two minutes later, Chu Wing- local players in the defence, while keing forced his way through substitute gealie Marle Hernandez the Manillans' defence line, but stopped several dangerous atgoalie Llamas rushed out of his tempts from the visitors, who post to stop him at a New feet dominated the field after regular from the local threshold, Llamas goalie Llamas was badly hurt.

Club v Navy (PP from 30.3.49); Club, 5.45 p.m.; Referee: R.M. Omar Lineament Sgt. Manson and P.P. Ll.

RAP v Rwong Wah (Postponed), SECOND DIVISION ' Dockyard w Bolieltorn'; Navy, 5.45 p.m.; . Referce: Lt. Davey.

p.m.; Referee; Lat Duen-po.

St. Joseph's v Talkoo; Army "I", 5.45

TODAY'S SOCCER

FIRST DIVISION

Boundary Street, 5.45 p.m.: Referee J. Ward! Lineamen: W. Gibson and

Puller v H. China "B" (PP from 2.1.49)

H. Richardson.

# **Alterations** In HKJC's

Following are the alterations the Classification List announced by the Hong Kong Jockey Club yesterday.

To Class 2 (Pontes of previous scarons): Amazon, Blue Sky. Jeep Shing. To Cines 2 (Ponics of 1949)

o Class 3 (Ponies of previous) neasons): Meteorologist, Scalire, Sunlight, The Chief. Jug substitute goalle Hernandes' To Class 3 (Ponics of 1949):

Liberty Ship, Maniac, Oakland To Class 4 (Ponics of previous seasons): Liberation Star, The

Stranger, to Ciasa 5 (Ponies of previous seasons): Argus, Spanish Onion. To Class 5 Ponics of 19491: Atomic Power, Bitter Sweet. Harmony, Silver Spear.

To Cinsa 5 (Ponica of 1949): Double Com, Green Velvel. Jethre, Radiotron, Trigger, To Class 7 (Ponies of previous) seasons): Elmer, Kingfisher, Lightning, Miami Beauty,

To Class 7 (Ponies of 1949) Capadian Potato, Morning Sky, Sunkiss, The Hopeful, The To Class 8 (Ponics of previous)

seasons): Betty Lou, Shangrila, Sprinter To Class 8 (Ponics of 1949) Amsterdam, Strychnine.

# Lawn Bowls **Entries**

Nine teams have entered the Chang Kam-hol, who shifted | First Division of the Hong Club de Recreio have entered four teams. Kowloon CC three

teams and the Kowloon BGC most likely three. The following are the entries. FIRST DIVISION

Club de Recreio "A" and "B". Craigengower CC, Kowloon BGC. Kowloon CC, Kowloon Docks Club, Indian RC, Police RC and Hong Kong CC. SECOND DIVISION

Club de Recreto, Craigengownr CC, Kowloon CC, Indian RC, Police RC, Kowloon Docks Club. Hong Kong FC, Filipino Club. Taikno Club. Kowloon BGC.

THIRD DIVISION Club de Recreio, Prison Officera Club, Hong Kong Electric RC. Kowleon CC, Hong Kong CC and Kowloon BGC (teniative)

# HK Interport's Second Victory

Manila, April 19. The Hong Kong interport soccer team yesterday defeated Combined Colleges. the rest team of Manila, 8-1, for the second straight victory of its series here.

The contest was so one-sided that the crowd in Rizal Stadium lost interest after the first half. Hong Kong's forwards—Kwok Ying-kee, Chau Man-chi and down at Christmas", Brother scoring with three goals and Chau too. Man-chi and Xavier each scored Manuel Nieto scored Manila's school basketball team would only goal.—United Press.

### ALL-BOSTON AFFAIR SEEN

. New York, April19. will be an all-Boston affair.

In an annual pro-season poli type of competition which should onducted by The Associated be encouraged in coming to manife the Manife whenever they can do so, Press, the writers picked the Boston Red Sox to dethrone the Cleveland Andlans in the American League and the Braves to our technique in booting the ball. retain their ... National League title. - Associated Press.

# ROYAL NAVY

The following will represent

Catton, Fowler, Strange, Weller, Nelson, Klernan and Bickford,

# Football Heroes Return



The Combined Hong Kong Christian Behools' soccer team returned home yesterday by PAL plane from Manila. The three pennants on display here belong to three of the Philippines colleges which they defeated. ("China Mail" Photo.)

# School Soccer XI Back From Manila

The victorious soccer team of the Combined Hong Kong Christian Brothers' Schools returned to the Colony yesterday in high spirits after their first visit to Manila. Already they are talking about a repeat performance—at Christmas, if possible.

The schoolboy team, which was the first of its kind ever to leave Hong Kong, was accompanied by the Reverend Brother Cronan, Sports Master of St. Joseph's College, who seemed to have enjoyed the adventure as much as any of the boys themselves.

"We all had a very good time", declared Brother Cronan "The Philippine Amateur Athletic Federation offered us every facility."

The only thing about which they complained was the hot dusty atmosphere in Manila. The temperature varied from about 99 degrees fahrenheit to 101 degrees most of the time.

Between games the visiting team was taken on whirlwind sight-seeing tours around the city and nearby resort spots.

Brother Cronan told the press that they found prices somewhat higher in Manila than in Hong Kong and thought the city Itself still looked in need of much reconstruction. But there was nothing shabby about the Philippines' hospitality.

The 15 boys and Brother Cronnn received a good deal of help and co-operation from the La Salle Alumni in Manila, They boarded with the Brothers during their stay there,

# Felt At Home

"We were made to feel very much at home", said Brother Cronan, "And there was a real family feeling." Although basketball is the

growd-drawing sport in the Philippines, the inter-school games in Manila were watched by as many as 0,000 spectators at '

Brother Cronan praised the fine spirit displayed throughout the games by winners and losers slike. He also expressed a with that Hong Kong might acquire as good facilities for soccer as those in Manila.

The Hong Kong team won four of the five games played in the Philippines and drew the last one, in which they met the

The scores were as follows: National University 7-1. La Salle 1-0. San Beda 4-2.

Letran 1-0. Inter-collegiate selection 1-1.

Manuel Xavier-played brilliant- Cronan said. "They would like ly. Kwok - Ying-kee led the us to send a track and field team Brother Cronan added that he two. Ho Ying-fun got the other, did not believe a Hong Kong

> have a chance, since the game is so very popular and so well held on both courses as well durplayed in the Philippines. Perhaps the finest, tribute paid to the Hong Kong visitors was

that of Joe Arcellano, sports Square. No less than eight play-American baseball writers pre- columnist for the Manila "Even- ers had one down, D.S. Robb, 9.40 T.A., Peace v J.B. Maskie lot that the 1949 World Series ing News". K.S. Kinghorn, M.S. Dougler. 9.44 J.R. Giflum v 8.8. Gordon He described them as "the best

because of the immensurable things they can do in improving The following players took

### KARIMEWINS SCOTTISH TITLE

Edinburgh, April 19.

won the Scottish open squash only one match and halving two. today on the Club Ground at by beating L. W. R. Keeble of match between England and Scot-London 9-9; 9-0, 9-5 in just 40 land, statting times as below.

. Karim already holds the steemoon.

# **Fixtures** QUADRANGULÄR

Thursday, April 21 ivilians v Navy: King's Park, RNRC (1) 8.30 p.m.; Umpires: B/Cdr. Padley and F/Sat. Connolly. Friday, April 22

Umpirest S.B.P.O. Yeomans and A.M. (halea v YMCA; Scokurpoo, 6.30 p.m. · Umplres: G.T. Palmer, and E.R.A. INTERNATIONALS

and P.F. Xavler, Sunday, April 24

and Captain Chianch ensure prompt attendance of their teams. A maximum of ten minutes delay will be allowed. Will umpless please notify to third place with a smashing Norwich result on soon as foosible after the match.

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CIVILIANS' TEAM Park at 5.30 p.m. tomorrow:---

Backet Nery (Recreto), Van Der Voort Haives: Lean Tye Hin (HKU), W.A. Reed, Captain (Recreio), Bhagat Binch

ourt in the Manila games'--- (HK Pollee), E. Fowler (CS), P. Rull Than Wing-kwan, Yeung Yu- (C & W). H. Xavler (C & W). Reserves: G.S. ( anon (CS) Alves (Recrelo), Kane (DRC), R. Mar-Colours: White.

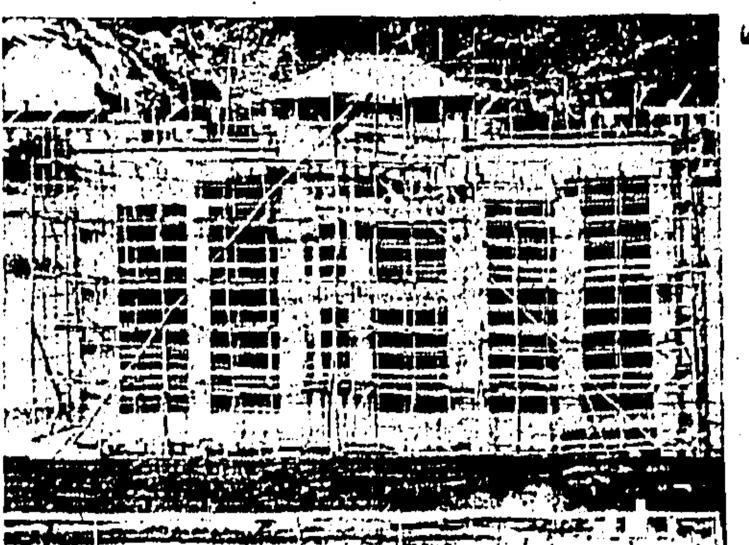
Yuen Chan-fun, A. G. Ismail, There who are unable to play are re-Chu Shiu-shing, Chu Kum-wing, quested to communicate with Mr. A.E.P. Justin - Chan, Lee Cheuk-sang, J Guest, Tel. 21280, Res. 57897.

# A New Totalisator

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Alng, Tam Cheung-sing, Stephen

Than, Ko Po-keung, A. K. Ismall,



Still under construction which began in February, the totalisator of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, will be ready for use during the second half of the racing season .--- ("China Mail" Photo).

# Goldman Wins 35 Holes Medal

The Shanghai Visitors Cup 36 holes medal played under Handicap on Easter Sunday was won by L. Goldman with a net total of 150, the runners-up being P. Morrison, E. W. Graves and J. M. Pattinson with 151.

"We hope to send another team Other good scores were 152 by A. McKellar, the last pre-war winner, and D. S. Robb with 153.

> Considering the very strong tion at Deep Water Bay to be wind blowing all day at Fan- held on May 10 cannot be the results are very guaranteed after Saturday, April ENGLAND V SCOTLAND

Bogey and Medal pools were ing the week-end and resulted in D.: Hung winning the Bogey on the Old Course returning All S.S. Gordon, W.C. Talt, Deakin, E.R. Mackay and P. M.

The Old Course Medal was won 10.04 W. Stoker v A. Mackellar by F.C.B. Black with the re- 10.08, L.C. Saville v W.G. Robertson markable net score of 64. Runnerup was D. Hung with 69 and N.J. Whelpton with 70. The New Course Bogoy was won by J.A. Redman returning

9.82 P.H. Sainebury v J.L. Macintyre All Square and the medal by 9.30 L. Jackson v G.D.S. Thrempson L.C. Saville with a net 70. 9.40 G. Alton v T.D. Drysdale Easter Monday afternoon saw 0.44 J.A. Redman v A.T. Dow 9.48 L.R. Dillinghurst v W.H. Paterson an innovation, a maich between 9.82 MLJ.D. Lows v K.A. Miller the Ladies and Men's sections P.BS K.A. Meson v N.O.M. Ford teams of 20 m-side taking part 10.00 P.W. Greven v.A. Maffride Mahmoud I Karim of Egypt The men proved too strong, losing

10.04 R.P. Morriste W.J. Cowle 10.08 G.P. Perguson w A. Todd soccer match against Royal Navy rackets, championship yesterday. Next Sunday there will be # 10.18 L.D. Primite v E.A. Brodle Foursomes will be played in the

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OLD COURSE

9.24 ' A.E. Lissaman 'v K.S. Kinghorn

9.52. D.A.O. Davies v E.R. Mackay.

. 9.86 R.K. Collings v J.J. Cowporthwalte

9.20 G.G.D. Carter v D.S. Robb

M.28 L. Goldman v J.W. Shewan

D.48 W.O. Davice w H.R. Clefand

9.62 H.W. Heath w J.D. Mackie

D.66' W.J. Dyer v G. Stowart

9.20 B. Deakin v J.R. Stirling

0.28 C.M. Pryce v W.E. Grieve

10.00 W.H. Lydall v A.E. Halg

... NEW COURSE ..

3.24 N.J. Whelpton v D.L. Prophet

# Hockey

TOURNAMENT

RAF v HK Police; Kai Tak, 5,30 p.m.:

Saturday, April 23 ndla v Scotland: King's Park, RNRC (1). 3.30 p.m.: Umpires: Yeo Bigs Gater

Portugal v Pakistan i King's Park, ANRC (1), 10 a.m.: Umpires: A.E.P. Guert All umpires are requested to confirm by phone (3086) Ext. 117) as soon as Only possible. Secretaries are requested to

LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE

The following will represent the Civilians v the Royal Navy in the Quafrangular Hockey Tournament to be played on the Navy No. 1 Ground, King's Gonikeeper: G. Mosa (HK Police).

Forwards: J. Sonres (Recreto), Yasel

Birmingham Derby Everton Huddersfield Manchester U.3 Sheffield U. Barnsley Bradford Brentford Bury Cardiff Leicester Luton Plymouth

# Portsmouth

Surprise Defeat London, April 18.

A surprise defeat at Birmingham today robbed the First Division leaders, Portsmouth, of an Easter hat-trick, but did not reduce their four-point lead over Newcastle.

Birmingham beat Portsmouth 3-0 in a strenuous allout game, watched by more than 30,000 enthusiasts. The result was a shock to thousands of fans, who have been freely acclaiming Portsmouth as Britain's greatest club since

Newcastle fared little better, | THIRD DIVISION (Southern) losing to Middlesbrough 3-2. Bristol C. Manchester United Palace brought any change in the top Exeter standings, leaping from fourth Northampton 3-0 victory over flowly Bolton, Notta C. The United have to share this Reading position with Derby County, who | Swansea defeated Burnley 2-0, and Swindon Manchester City, who drew 1-1 | Walsall

Continued hot sunshine drew heavy crowds to League games throughout the country, highest attendance being 48,000 who saw Arsenal Blackpool 2-0 in London. The League II leaders, Southampton, also faltered, held to a Rotherham

ground by Grimsby. Cardiff displaced Tottenham Wrexham in the fourth position of the table by defeating. Blackburn 1-0 when the Spure managed to | Celtic draw with Brentford. Otherwise, the top positions remain

unchanged. In League III South, Bourne- | ball League of Eire 1 .-- Reuter. mouth pushed Bristol Rovers out of third place, beating Nottingham County 3-2. Swansea remain on top, beating Newport County 2-1, and Reading held to second place, defeating Bristol

Hull City, by defeating Gateshead, still share the leadership of the Northern Section with

The results:--

FIRST DIVISION Blackpool Portsmouth Manchester C. Burnley Charlton Liverpool Middlesbrough 3 Newcastle 2 Proston N.E. SECOND DIVISION

Lincoln Notts F. Spurs Leeds Blatkburn West Ham Fulham Queen Park Southampton Grimsby West Brom.

Port Valo Torquay Millwall Southend , Brighton Aldershot Bournemouth Bristol R. Newport Leyton Watford THIRD DIVISION (Northern)

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The Editor takes no responsibility for views expressed in letters by correspondents, and hy Rotherham, who beat Doneaster no means necessarily agrees with

### A Suggestion

The Sports Editor China Mail.

Sir,—With the approaching of the Tennis League may I suggest to the Tennis Committee of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association to run a Junior Mixed Doubles League in the coming season for the benefit of players below the average of players like.
Mrs. Litton and others.

TENNIS FAN.

### BASKETBALL GAME POSTPONED

Ovring to rain, the Hong Kong Busketball Lengue games were postponed to April 23. The games Ol were to be played at Caroline O Hill last night.

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